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The Weather
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Kimmel, Short Court-Martial Ruled Out by Inquiry Reports

Unwarranted By Evidence, Army, Navy Announce

'Pearl Harbor' Called Result of Errors by Officers in Capital, As Well as in Field

By George Connery

Rear Admiral Husband E. Kimmel and Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short will not be court-martialed for dereliction of duty at Pearl Harbor on the basis of present evidence, the Army and the Navy announced yesterday in simultaneously-released statements.

Both officers are in inactive status and have asked for trial to clear their records as Army and Navy commanders at the Hawaiian base when the United States suffered its worst military disaster on December 7, 1941.

The statements also officially disclosed that officers of both services in Washington, as well as in the field, failed to perform their duty with the necessary skill and judgment.

All Public Will Learn

Yesterday's statements, signed by Secretary of War Stimson and Secretary of Navy Forrestal, are intended to be all the public will learn about evidence in the case for the duration. Both secretaries decided that reports of the two boards of inquiry must be kept secret until after the war for reasons of military security.

As matters stood last night, there was only one possibility that the public would learn more about what happened in the days and weeks before December 7, 1941. That was the possibility of a congressional investigation.

Chairman May (D., Ky.) of the House Military Committee was willing to let the whole thing drop, accepting the military verdict of no court-martials and no more publicity.

Ferguson Demands Congress Act

However, Senator Ferguson (Rep., Mich.) called for immediate submission to both houses of evidence obtained by the Army and Navy board. He said he would put added pressure behind his resolution to set up a 10-man Senate committee to make an independent investigation.

"This announcement," he added, "merely emphasizes the need for a Senate investigation. I think as a starter Congress should be furnished evidence upon which the new findings are based."

The fact now is there is little likelihood of anyone ever being brought to trial to fix responsibility for the defeat which plunged this nation into a two-continent war.

However, the case is not closed. Stimson and Forrestal announced the military investigations will be continued, and indications were that Congress may conduct its own independent study.

Stimson said the report showed errors of judgment on the part of Short. Forrestal did not name Kimmel, merely stating that "the evidence now available does not warrant and will not support the trial by general court-martial of any person or persons in the Naval service."

The Secretary of War, after long study of the Army's board of in-

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District Area Cold, But Other Sections Are Hit Worse

Washingtonians who felt uncomfortable yesterday when the thermometer hit 27, the lowest since last winter, and fell 8 degrees below the mean temperature may take warmth when they compare their plight with that of the people of Syracuse, N. Y., where the Weather Bureau reported 23 inches of snow fell up to 9 a. m. yesterday.

Yesterday's high here was 5 above freezing and the forecast says it will be clear and continued cold today.

If the weather man is right, the Army-Navy game in Baltimore will be played under a clear sky but winter coats and woolen gloves are indicated because of the expected freezing temperature.

At least five deaths in up-State New York were attributed to storm conditions, according to the Associated Press, and severe cold was reported in the entire North as well as in the South. Nashville, Tenn., had a low of 23 degrees.

A 67-mile wind swept New York City causing some damage and stalling commuting traffic.

Stettinius Pledges to Uphold Hull Policies

Harris & Ewing Photo

Edward R. Stettinius as he was sworn in as Secretary of State by Associate Justice Robert H. Jackson. Mrs. Stettinius is on left with the youngsters, Edward R. 3d and Joseph and Wallace the twins.

Assumes Duties of Secretary of State At Formal Ceremony

By Edward T. Folliard

Edward R. Stettinius, jr., yesterday was sworn in as the forty-seventh American Secretary of State and formally took over the office which Cordell Hull had held for nearly 12 years. In so doing, he paid an affectionate tribute to the Tennesseean and promised to do his utmost to carry out his high principles in the conduct of American foreign policy.

High on the new Cabinet officer's calendar is a full-dress conference of the United Nations to launch the world peace league that was outlined at Dumbarton Oaks. Chairman Sol Bloom (D., N. Y.) of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, and Senator Walter F. George (D., Ga.) said yesterday that the big conclave probably would be held in Washington in the next three months. The State Department would only say that "We hope that the conference will take place as soon as possible. No definite plans have yet been formed."

The office of Secretary of State, with its old engravings of the Founding Fathers and Lincoln and Grant, was crowded with friends and staff officials as Associate Justice Robert H. Jackson administered the oath of office to Stettinius.

The Bible was one which Mr. Hull had given Stettinius when he was sworn in as Undersecretary last year.

Justice Jackson, a close friend, intoned the oath and asked Stettinius if he swore to uphold the Constitution and carry out his duties faithfully.

"I do," Stettinius replied.

"So help you God?"

"So help me God."

After signing his commission, Secretary Stettinius—who at 44 is the youngest man to hold the office since Edmund Randolph in George Washington's Administration—kissed his attractive wife and shook hands with his three boys, Edward Stettinius 3d and the twins, Joseph and Wallace.

He shook hands also with Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff; Senator Harry F. Byrd, a fellow Virginian, and his sisters and nieces who had gathered for the ceremony.

Recorded by Cameras

All this took place in a glare of lights as the cameramen recorded the event for history. There was the inevitable squabble between the

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Storm Over Littell Ousting Gains Intensity

Ferguson Disputes President's Basis For Dismissal

The gathering storm over President Roosevelt's dismissal of Assistant Attorney General Norman M. Littell, who supplied the Senate War Investigating Committee with a statement of serious charges against Attorney General Francis Biddle grew in intensity yesterday, with these developments:

1. Senator Homer Ferguson (R., Mich), who said he was also speaking for Senator Harley M. Kilgore (D., W. Va.), another member of the war committee, flatly disputed the President's grounds for firing Littell. Ferguson said that Littell was not guilty of insubordination in connection with the statement. Littell supplied it, Ferguson said, at the request of the Senate committee, which in turn made it public.

Support for Littell Grows

2. Support for Littell began to grow as news of his dismissal was made known throughout the country. The National Farmers Union declared that "but for Mr. Littell's efforts," the new surplus property board would have "little chance to function in the public interest and the law which it has been asked to administer would have been a far worse law than it is."

3. Members of the House rules committee to which was consigned the resolution calling for a House Judiciary committee investigation of the circumstances surrounding the dismissal are expected to bring up the matter next week.

When President Roosevelt ousted Littell Saturday, he said that the Assistant Attorney General had "volunteered a long statement, thus substantiating what the Attorney General had said about his insubordination."

Statement Requested

It was to this that Ferguson and Kilgore took exception.

They said that they had requested the statement for the committee when it appeared that Biddle had asked for the resignation of Littell because he had testified before their committee.

"The statement to us should not be treated as insubordination," they said.

The senators pointed out that

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Senators Hear Hurley, Heller; Defer Action

Republicans Expect To Oppose Surplus Property Nominees

By Mary Spargo

Action on the nominations of former Democratic Governor Robert A. Hurley of Connecticut and Lieut. Col. Edward P. Heller of California to the Surplus Property Board was deferred at least until next week by the Senate Military Affairs Committee after hearing the two men yesterday.

Meanwhile the Republican Steering Committee agreed tentatively, while hearings were in progress, to oppose confirmation of both of the presidential appointees.

There were indications, however, that opposition to Hurley was far stronger than to Heller, a former investment banker, now special financial officer for the War Department.

"Outstanding Men Needed"

Chairman Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio) of the steering committee said of the two nominees:

"We do not think these men are qualified. The surplus property disposal legislation was passed to take care of a tremendous job. The board should be made up of outstanding men, not some lame duck who has twice been rejected by the people of his own State."

Taft made it clear that the Republicans were not passing upon Hurley's connection with the Narragansett Machine Co. of Pawtucket, R. I., or Heller's connection with loans the War Department made, about which the Military Affairs Committee inquired yesterday.

Hurley said he had resigned his vice presidency with the Narragansett company the day President

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Arms Needs Choke Back Reconversion

Nelson's Interim Program Brought Almost to Halt For 90 Days

By Ben W. Gilbert

Donald M. Nelson's much-fought-over interim reconversion program yesterday was drastically curtailed—suspended for all practical purposes—for a 90-day period to meet objections by representatives of the armed services that it was interfering with the current drive to produce the munitions needed by General Eisenhower's mounting Western Front offensive.

The action was disclosed by release of a letter from J. A. Krug, WPB chairman; Paul V. McNutt WMC chairman, Navy Secretary James V. Forrestal and War Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson, sent jointly to their field representatives forbidding the granting of "spot authorization" reconversions in 68 Group One labor shortage areas and 44 other areas where critical war production is lagging—covering a total of 140 communities—except in "unusual cases."

Rules for "Spots" Laid Down

In other areas, the agency heads directed, "spots" may be granted only if war production is on schedule, or where lack of manpower is not the cause of failure to meet schedules, provided that available labor is not usable in war production in the area or for interregion recruitment elsewhere.

"Reconversion to, or expansion of, less urgent production, or preparatory steps in connection therewith, that require the type of labor currently needed in war production must not be authorized," the letter stated.

New production requirements "will result in very large additional demands for labor," the letter said.

"New and unexpected demands resulting from combat experience constantly arise and must be met. Less urgent production and services must not be permitted to interfere with such demands."

Authorizations Not Canceled

The new program did not necessarily disturb the authorizations already granted, although they are subject to review at any time.

The spot authorization program was put into effect August 15, while Nelson was still WPB chairman, over vigorous resistance from representatives of the armed services.

In actual operation in the field, the services continued to resist granting required approval to specific spot proposals. In recent weeks, they have proposed its total suspension until production schedules are met. In a recent announcement that specific steps were being taken to increase production of the lagging items, War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes stated that he had deferred taking the drastic action of knocking out the spot program to see how "less drastic" measures would work out.

Nelson had instituted the "spot"

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Got a Spare Buck, Brother?

Deer Visits Washington Home After Haunting Zoo for 3 Days

Anybody with a spare buck on hand in the Capital today probably has the deer which yesterday appeared in the back yard of Mrs. Edward J. Ward, 1608 Upshur st. nw., after a three-day stay (unofficial) at the Zoo.

Dr. William M. Mann, Zoo director, said that he suspected that this buck, which has been haunting the park grounds for several days, wandered in from a nearby State in quest of romance. And although iron bars do not make a cage, according to the poets, they do from a doe's viewpoint and the visitor didn't (as they say) get to first base.

Police took up the investigation yesterday when Mrs. Ward reported the presence of the deer in her back yard. Earlier Zoo guards had tried to corral him, but he eluded his pursuers near Klingle Gate bridge and left the area. He headed south on 16th st. soon afterward but it turned out to be a futile search for newsmen, photographers and the police.

Unless the buck decides to hike back to his native haunts, authorities here think they will surround him and deliver him to the Zoo. In the meantime, they pointed out, there is no open season on anything in the District, so venison enthusiasts are advised to leave their guns at home.

It also was suggested that this is quite a winter in deer circles, what with another buck killing a horse two days ago in Winchester, Va., and this one paying a visit to the Capital.

Villarroel Rule Shaky in Bolivia

Arica, Chile, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Executions, deportations and imprisonment of opposition leaders by the Bolivian government of Col. Gaulberto Villarroel have produced a "serious" internal situation and it is unlikely that Villarroel will be able to remain in power much longer, prominent political exiles said today on their arrival from La Paz.

Among a group of 12 exiles was Senator Waldo Belmonte of La Paz, who temporarily replaced former President Enrique Penaranda during the latter's official visit to the United States in May, 1943.

Tale of Theft, Rape, Murder

French Gestapo Trial Reveals Torture Slaying of 2 Women

Paris, Dec. 1. (U.P.).—Women spectators who jammed the Palais de Justice almost to the point of suffocation today were swept by a wave of horror as the prosecution told how members of the French Gestapo tortured two women to death.

Twelve alleged ringleaders of the French Gestapo, accused of such crimes as killing women for their money and stealing silver plate belonging to the American Embassy, went on trial on charges of dealing with an enemy power, punishment for which can be death. They also were accused of turning over to the Germans for deportation Genevieve de Gaulle, niece of General Charles de Gaulle.

Prosecutor Paul Reboul told red-robed Judge August Ledoux that the "Gestapo gang" trapped a wealthy Frenchwoman and when she refused to give up the combination to her safe tortured her and a woman companion to death and boiled the bodies in a washing machine. Then, he said, they cut the bodies to pieces, threw the pieces in a sewer and burned the bones.

Pierre Clavie, one of the defendants, was accused of inviting a Madame Deryeux—who was supposed to have 15 million francs in her safe—to Gestapo headquarters to show her a fur coat.

The prosecutor said that Claire admitted that he drew out a revolver and stripped Madame Deryeux, and hung her from the ceiling while he burned the soles of her feet with a cigarette lighter. At first she refused to talk, then gave false information, and did not give up the combination until after a night of torture.

Clavie was interrupted by neighbors while opening the safe and returned in a towering rage, stripped Madame Deryeux's woman companion and with two other members of the Gestapo raped and killed her and then proceeded to cut up both bodies.

Leaders of the 12 are Henri Chamberlin, alias Henri Lafont, and Pierre Bony, former inspector of the Paris Criminal Police.

The indictment charged that the "Rue Lauriston Gang of 50"—mostly composed of convicts released and given police cards by the Nazis—were guilty of an "inconceivable succession of crimes of blood and money."

Chamberlin's first big success was the denunciation of the Belgian resistance chief Lambrecht, which was followed by the arrest of 600 Belgian patriots, the indictment said.

In 1943, the indictment said, the gang arrested the Duke d'Ayen, son of the Duke of Orleans, and Nazi Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler ordered him executed because of his relationship with the British royal family. Chamberlain, fearing diplomatic complications, canceled the execution order.

Sforza Accused Of Sabotaging Italian Rule

Eden Says British Opposition to Count For Key Cabinet Post

London, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden accused Count Carlo Sforza today of trying to undermine both the Badoglio and Bonomi governments, which had served in Italy since the fall of Mussolini, and said that was one reason why the British government did not want to see him put in a key post in the Italian cabinet.

In Britain's judgment, Eden told Commons, Sforza had been working recently against the government of Premier Ivanhoe Bonomi, "who has given us loyal support and has fulfilled all his obligations toward us."

'I really do not believe that there is anything wrong in our saying that we would not prefer to have this man as foreign secretary," Eden said. "His record is not one which could give us confidence in him."

Eden said that Sforza, when he returned to Italy from exile after the fall of the Fascists, told the British government he would pursue "a certain course."

"Did Not Pursue Course"

"I am not now dealing with the loyalty question," Eden said, guardedly. "He did not pursue this course and recently he has been in our judgment and according to our information working against the government of Signor Bonomi.

"He rapidly began to work against the (Badoglio) government of Italy and when the new government was formed under Signor Bonomi he began to do exactly the same thing again."

Eden made it clear that the British government is not likely soon to recognize co-belligerent Italy as an equal of the United Nations. He said, however, that Britain was trying to send more

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Yanks on Leyte Repel Stiff Jap Attacks

Slight Gain Scored In North, but Enemy Slows Push in South

MacArthur's Headquarters, Philippines (Saturday), Dec. 2 (A.P.).—Fighting in a continual torrent of rain, the U. S. Thirty-second Division scored a slight gain at the northern end of Leyte's Ormoc Valley while the Seventh Division south of Ormoc beat off vicious Japanese counterattacks, headquarters announced today.

The Seventh Division has been advancing slowly northward on the coast below Ormoc and last was reported holding the Palanas River Line, 13 miles south of the port. Numerous night counterattacks had been repulsed in that area by the divisions, which includes veterans of the Aleutians campaign.

Truman Favors Senate Majority Rule on Treaties

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Senator Harry S. Truman, Vice President-elect, said today he favored a constitutional amendment to permit ratification of treaties by a majority of the Senate instead of two-thirds vote.

Truman said he had been in favor of such an amendment for a long time, "but of course it would require approval of the States."

He said in his opinion future peace depends largely on "whether a peace treaty can be written which will be ratified by the Senate."

Truman, en route from Kansas City, said he was taking a round-about way to Washington so he could "get a rest."

Fliers Heap Explosives On Siegfried Defenses

Germans Digging In on Roer Bank; First, Ninth Armies Score New Gains

BULLETIN

Paris (Saturday), Dec. 2 (INS). Frustration of a German effort to establish a new bridgehead on the west bank of the southern Rhine near Strasbourg was announced at Supreme Allied Headquarters early today. The attempt was launched behind a 1000-yard-wide smokescreen but was broken up by American and French artillery fire before it could get under way. The French Alsatian city of Strasbourg, a midnight bulletin said, still was being shelled by German guns planted on the east side of the Rhine.

Paris, Dec. 1. (A.P.).—The United States Third Army drove to the Saar River along a nine-mile front today in a storm of fire from the Siegfried Line defenses around Merzig, German outpost city guarding the Moselle and Nahe Valley invasion routes to the inner Reich.

The Germans blew up the Merzig bridge just as the Tenth Armored Division tanks rumbled into view, and beyond the river 125 Allied bombers heaped 250 tons of explosives on the Siegfried fortifications.

One of the war's bloodiest battles raged unabated at the edge of the Cologne Plain, when Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower hourly was raising the pressure against the Roer River barrier.

Nazi Strength Put at 6 Million

British headquarters estimates were that the Germans had 6 million men—1,250,000 of them first-line troops—available for the climactic battles of the Reich, and the winter offensive was costing them 3000 men daily in prisoners alone.

These estimates placed 70 divisions on the Western Front and 130 to 140 against the Russians.

The U. S. Ninth Army broadened its hold on the Roer's west bank to 15 miles, fought almost up to the edge of Linnich—one of three strongholds of the river line—and sent patrols across a tributary south of Julich.

The U. S. First Army was attacking all the way from Inden, 6 miles northwest of Duren, to Brandenberg, 7 miles southwest of that Roer River fortress. The Germans were seen hastily bolstering defenses on the east bank.

No Hint of Break Seen

There was no hint of a break in the lines, but the Germans were digging into their mobile reserves, which might mean that when the break came they might be unable to halt a sweep to the Rhine.

Biggest gains of the day came 15 miles north of Strasbourg, where the U. S. Seventh Army in advances of up to 6 miles broke through the main German lines and fought into the western outskirts of the big enemy supply base of Haguenau.

American and French forces pushed up 2 miles west of Selestat, 25 miles southwest of Strasbourg, by driving out of the Vosges, narrowing the enemy's Rhine bridgehead sharply.

The main force of the Germans retreating into the Saar Basin crossed the bridge at Merzig before it was destroyed. U. S. Third Army armor and Infantry moved up to the river in a general advance of 1½ miles, clearing Hilbringen and two other Saar villages just across from Merzig.

Sweeps Into Two Towns

The Ninetieth Division seized the west bank of the Saar on the right of the Tenth Armored, entering Fremersdorf and Buren, 2 and 5 miles southeast of Merzig.

Merzig guards the Moselle Valley route to Coblenz, and the Nahe Valley to Mainz and Frankfurt on the Rhine.

Farther south of the 95th Infantry Division reached Itzbach, a half-mile from the Saar, and sent

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'Important to Morale'

Army Will Take All Chickens Produced in 4 Nearby States

By Christine Sadler

The War Food Administration announced yesterday that virtually 100 per cent of all chickens produced or processed in Delaware and the heavy producing areas of Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia must be set aside for purchase by the Army Quartermaster Corps, beginning December 11.

WFA said the order would be ended as soon as possible and that consumers along the Atlantic seaboard and "from Richmond up through New York" naturally would find fewer chickens on sale at their stores or in their public eating places.

"Consumers who are not able to purchase chicken as often as they would like are asked to remember that chicken is for fighters first," WFA said, pointing out that turkeys, guineas, ducks, squabs, and geese will be available as usual."

Quartermaster General Edmund B. Gregory said, "Chicken is so important to the morale of all servicemen—especially those who are wounded, weary and war-shocked—quick action had to be taken to assure America's fighters a continued and adequate supply of this very vital food."

Black markets were blamed for the fact the Quartermaster Corps is lagging in its chicken purchases by 110 million pounds and OPA,

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'Must Conceal Shortcomings'

Goebbels Bans All Public Talk About Germany's War Crisis

London, Dec. 1 (A.P.).—Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels tonight ordered the German people to cease all public discussion of the war situation, saying the ban was necessary "to conceal from the enemy Germany's shortcomings."

The order was contained in Goebbels' weekly article in Das Reich magazine and broadcast by all German home radio stations.

"At the present dramatic climax of the war it behooves the German people to present a united front to the enemy," Goebbels said. "Every attempt to drive a wedge must be foredoomed to failure.

"The long duration of the war has certainly brought about deficiencies and bottlenecks. But we shall be the better equipped to overcome these shortcomings the better we conceal them from the enemy.

"For this reason alone," he asserted, "it is forbidden to discuss such things in public. Every belligerent these days lives behind iron shutters.

"The peope must respect their leaders," wrote Goebbels, who, according to recurrent reports in the British and neutral press, is now along with Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler, in control of German affairs in place of the secluded and long-silent Adolf Hitler.

"The countless decisions which have to be taken daily, even hourly, in all spheres of our conduct of the war inevitably contain a certain proportion of mistakes," Goebbels

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Nazis May Disregard International Law

War Sidelights

Japs Allowed 7 Cigarettes Daily Now

By the Associated Press

The Japanese now may buy seven cigarettes a day instead of six.

Nippon's Finance Ministry announced the change today in a domestic broadcast picked up by the Federal Communications Commission.

The cigarette boost was attributed to "a slight surplus."

Early Yule Delivery

Paris, Dec. 1 (AP).—About one-third of more than 18 million Christmas packages mailed to American soldiers in the European theater were delivered by Thanksgiving, the Army reported today. One ship recently brought 1,875,000 packages.

Critical Items For Allies to Be Made in Europe

The White House announced yesterday that factories in liberated France, Belgium and the Netherlands are to be put to work supplying Allied forces "with critically needed military supplies."

James F. Byrnes, director of mobilization and reconversion, said supplies to be manufactured "to supplement the accelerated production by American factories" would include heavy duty tires, tentage duck and truck parts.

Justice Byrnes pointed out, however, that the plans for utilizing plants in liberated areas did not lessen in any way the demand for increased war production in this country of those critical supplies. He said the demand would be greater than we could supply with all available facilities at home and abroad.

Plans are already being put into action, the announcement said.

"The needs of General Eisenhower's forces for these supplies in the next few months will be tremendous," the announcement declared.

"As an example," it continued, "Justice Byrnes stated that there are some facilities for retreading tires in France and Belgium."

Justice Byrnes said the production just behind the lines would also lessen the strain on shipping facilities.

"Agreement for carrying out production plans in liberated areas was reached at a conference recently held in Justice Byrnes' office attended by Undersecretary of War Patterson and high military personnel," it was stated.

FOOD

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in a statement released at the same time declared every pound of poultry sold on the black market in the Delmarva area "is a pound taken from our fighting men."

A concerted effort to break up the poultry black market is under way, Thomas I. Emerson, OPA deputy administrator for enforcement declared. "Because of the short supply of beef and other meat, and because the production of Delmarva poultry is off approximately 50 per cent compared with that of a year ago, the pressure on poultry has been terrific and has resulted in large diversion of supplies to the black market," Emerson said.

Other feed news of the day included:

1. Announcement by WFA that less industrial alcohol will be produced from molasses in 1945, and more from grains. "Production of alcohol fro minvert molasses probably will not be possible during the year because of the short sugar supply," WFA said.

More corn can be used safely for the alcohol program, it was declared, and attention was called to the continued good supply of grain sorghums. "Use of soft red winter wheat is discouraged by WFA," it was declared, "in order to conserve the supply for other uses, chiefly for the milling trade."

2. The WPB disclosed that only three farm machinery items on a list of 20 are up to production expectations, "due chiefly to manpower shrotages and the difficulty of obtaining components, particularly malleable and gray iron castings."

Tractors were from one1half to 19 per cent behind production schedules, with manure spreaders behind schedule by 52.6 per cent.

4. WFA said District of Columbia milk handlers no longer would be required to share the costs of purchasing "emergency milk" needed for sales in the area.

Otuside milk no longer is needed to maintain orderly marketing in the Washington vicinity, it was declared, because locally produced milk now is plentiful enough to supply all local needs.

Church to Hear Russian Singer

The Rev. John M. Sergey, noted Russian Gospel singer and musician, will be presented in two sacred concerts tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. at the National Tabernacle, 6440 Piney Branch rd. nw. at Georgia ave. He has been called the leading soloist with many of the great symphony orchestras and in the world-famous Moody Church, Chicago. This will be his only appearance in Washington. All seats are free and there is no admission charge.

Alsace Execution Threats Cited in Berlin Statement

London, Dec. 1 (AP).—A German high command statement distributed by the official German news agency said tonight that Germany was considering disassociating itself from the rules of international warfare as contained in the Geneva and Hague conventions.

The statement was made in the course of a declaration threatening reprisals on French prisoners of war in Germany if Germans were executed in Alsace for franc-tireur (guerilla) acts.

The high command statement, as quoted by DNB and transcribed by the Associated Press, charged that Germany's enemies were "increasingly violating international law" and added:

"Under these circumstances, investigation is in progress as to whether Germany . . . should still consider herself bound to The Hague and Geneva and other conventions, which have been violated by our enemies."

Condemns "Reprisal Order"

The German statement condemned what it called the "reprisal order" of French Maj. Gen. LeClerc in Alsace and threatened "strongest counter-reprisals against French prisoners of war in Germany would be taken as a result of such a step."

The statement as quoted by DNB said:

"According to an American message datelined Strasbourg November 30, General LeClerc has ordered bills to be posted over Strasbourg announcing that for every French soldier killed by a franc-tireur, five German hostages would be executed.

"These hostages, if necessary, would be taken from the ranks of German soldiers taken prisoner of war by General LeClerc's division.

Text of Declaration

"The German H. Q. has now issued this declaration:

"'Many hundreds of thousands of French prisoners of war and other persons of French nationality are in Germany at present. If General LeClerc and his commander, General de Gaulle, mean to introduce a system of reprisals in defiance of international law, and make German nationals and German prisoners of war its victims, then these two generals should know that the matter will not rest there, but that Germany will resort to the most enegetic counter-reprisals and that the victims of these counter-reprisals will be the Frenchmen in Germany.

"'If it pleases General LeClerc and General de Gaulle to have such reciprocal slaughter of the innocent victims, they may well get it. But the world should know that it is they who bear the responsibility.'

Inquiry in Progress

"'As conditions are, an inquiry is already in progress as to whether Germany should continue to regard herself bound by the Geneva and Hague conventions, respectively, as well as by the other international agreements about the laws of war insofar as they have been broken by our enemies.

"'This is done in view of the increasing infringements of international law by our enemies, the recent sinking of a hospital ship, two continuous attacks on hospital ships, hospitals, Red Cross establishments and so on; infringements, which, as matters stand, can only have been perpetrated intentionally.'"

Allied States Cited

A statement issued at Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force, in Paris yesterday pointed out that "the Allied Expeditionary Force is operating in conformity with the Geneva convention of 1929, and in particular with Article 2 which states 'measures of reprisal against prisoners of war are prohibited.'"

There was no elaboration of this statement, issued after General LeClerc, commander of the French Second Armored Division, had announced that sniping in the captured city of Strasbourg must stop and five German hostages would be shot for every French soldier killed by snipers."

Sub paragraph "D" of Paragraph 358 of the rules of land warfare of the U. S. Army states that "hostages taken and held for the declared purpose of preventing unlawful acts may be punished or put to death."

Weekly Serise Of Badminton Play Set at Alexandria

The Alexandria Recreation Department has opened a weekly series of badminton contests and instruction on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 10 o'clock at the gymnasium of the George Washington High School, 1005 Mount Vernon ave., as part of the winter sports program.

John Campbell is in charge and is instructing those who request it. Racquets are loaned to the players by the department while birds are for sale at cost. Three courts are available.

Alan Hell, director of the recreation department, said that interest in the sport has developed since its introduction in Alexandria last spring and many officers and their wives have found it an excellent means of exercise.

Date Leads Back to Jail

Boston (U.P.).—A few days after Heinz Jacob, a German war prisoner, escaped from Fort Devens, he was recaptured on Boston Common when he kept a date with a girl he had picked up at a beach.

Obeys Husband

Lady Astor To Quit Seat In Commons

London, Dec. 1 (AP).—Peppery, strong-willed Lady Nancy Astor is yielding—albeit tearfully—to her husband's wish and surrendering the seat in Commons she has held for 25 years.

LADY ASTOR

"Isn't that a triumph for men?" she asks the world.

Lord and Lady Astor in a joint statement today announced her decision not to stand (run) for reelection Sutton Division from Plymouth's because "Lord Astor informed Lady Astor that he did not, at his age, feel physically able to go through the heavy strain and stress of another contested election" and "it would be difficult for Lady Astor to stand again without his help."

Viscount Astor, who sits in the House of Lords, is the same age as his Virginia-born wife—65.

Tears in Her Eyes

Lady Astor, first woman to sit in Commons, put it this way tonight before a dinner audience of 400 women gathered to celebrate her silver anniversary:

"Today I have done a thing that has been terrible for me—one of the hardest things I have ever done in my life, but a thing that every man in thet world will approve of. I have said I will not fight the next election because my husband does not want me to.

"I have had 25 years in the House of Commons and I am bound to obey. Isn't that a triumph for the men? But whether in or out of the House I shall always stand for what women stand for."

The Evening News reporter said he saw tears in her eyes when she confirmed her decision.

Asked her plans for future activities, Lady Astor said "Oh, go away, I haven't any idea. Of course I shall be interested in lots of things."

Churchill Broke "Boycott"

The lady from Virginia, who as a parliamentary "live wire" figured in countless sharp Commons debates and has been called "the mother of the mother of Parliaments," had some nice things to say about her parliamentary colleagues, male and female, and about British women in general.

"I am grateful for the dauntless decency of the British," she told the dinner audience, "and the way they treated me in the House. I love the House of Commons and think it one of the fairest assemblies in the world."

She retired with this opinion, she said, although "nobody spoke to me the first two years I was in the House."

Winston Churchill broke that silence, she recalled.

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supplies to Italy, but was restricted by Allied supply demands.

Eden made his statement in replying for the government to questions raised in a debate on the King's speech outlining legislation for the new session of Parliament.

Three-Point Policy

He gave the following definition of British foreign policy:

"First—victory. That means continuance of unity in the great coalition.

"Second—order behind the lines of our armies.

"Third—Fair and untrammeled election of governments, dynasties and parliaments alike."

Regarding the third point Eden defended the government against some critics who accused it of supporting right wing regimes in Europe and some who accused it of backing left wing regimes. Britain does not desire to set up either left or right wing governments in any country, he said.

Rioting in Rome

Rome, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Rioting broke out in Rome today between Monarchists and Republicans while Premier Ivanoe Bonomi tried doggedly to form a new cabinet despite the refusal of the left wing parties to support him and the lukewarm attitude of other coalition parties.

Crown Prince Humberto and Bonomi were reviewing newly-equipped Italian troops when at the end of the parade Republicans broke through a police cordon and pulled down an Italian flag bearing the emblem of the royal house of Savoy which had been hoisted on top of a statue of Julius Caesar.

The Republicans put up a Communist red flag with hammer and sickle. Monarchists tried to rehoist the national flag. Scores of fights broke out and ended only when mounted carabiniers charged the rioters.

Bonomi's worries were increased also by the announcement that a newly formed "league of hunger" would soon march through the streets demanding more food—bread, flour and olive oil.

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continued. "These mistakes are caused by human and other shortcomings. They may well entail regrettable consequences. But no belligerent is innocent of mistakes. What counts in the long run is which side makes the fewer mistakes."

Then he decreed: "No doubts must be expressed as to the final outcome of the war—that is the paramount ruling."

"There are some fanatics among us," he wrote, "who love to spread abroad every detail of the horrors suffered in a heavy air raid. We should advise such people to take to heart the British policy of silence. The course of the war must not be impeded."

Tito Claims Penetration Of Austria

New York, Dec. 1 (INS).—Yugoslav partisan forces of Marshal Tito have "penetrated into Austria" the new Yugoslav Telegraph Service reported tonight. The dispatch was broadcast by the Serbo-Croat domestic radio and monitored by the FCC.

London, Dec. 1 (AP).—The German radio announced tonight all of the 60-square-mile section of besieged Budapest lying on the east bank of the Danube was being evacuated because of a swiftly rising Russian threat to envelop the capital from the rear after smashing across the river south of the city.

Both the Moscow communique and German announcements disclosed Russian troops striking along the west bank of the Danube were within 77 miles of Budapest and 38 miles of Lake Balaton, strategic Hungarian lake lying across the southeastern approaches to Austria.

The German International Information Bureau broadcast said bridges across the Danube in Budapest were thronged with civilian and military traffic—suggesting that the Germans intend to make their major stand in Buda, the west bank, and leave only rearguards to fight in Pest, the larger section of the capital on the east bank.

The Soviet communique listed the copture of 60 more localities south and southwest of Budapest as Marshal Feodor I. Tolbukhin's Third Ukraine Army troops veered toward the capital and toward the Austrian frontier.

The Germans said the Russians had reached Szekszard, a road junction 77 miles south of Budapest, and Moscow announced the capture of Magocs and other points 86 miles southwest of the capital and 38 miles from Lake Balaton.

Strategic gains also were reported in Czecho-Slovakia.

Both the German International Information Bureau broadcast and another by Lieut. Col. Alfred von Oldberg, Transocean Agency commentator, said there was "increasing danger that the Budapest defenses will be taken in the rear."

For several weeks the Russians have been attacking in the eastern outskirts of Budapest, center of routes to Yugoslavia, northern Italy, Austria and Czechoslovakia.

Vienna, Austrian capital, is 125 miles northwest of Budapest, and the Austrian frontier is only 90 miles from the capital.

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one column on to the river two miles northwest of Saarlautern.

Two and a half miles southwest of Saarlautern, another American force took Felsberg, but ran into heavy fire.

As more U. S. tanks reached the Saar, advanced elements coming under the Siegfried Line's guns reported artillery fire even more intense than at Metz.

Scores Limited Gains

In the Cologne Plain battle, 23 miles from Cologne and 27 miles from Dusseldorf, the U. S. Ninth Army slugged out limited gains on the north and captured Lindern, 4½ miles northeast of Geilenkirchen.

In heavy fighting along the Roer River, German counterattacks pushed the doughboys from Roerdorf, just south of Linnich.

Three miles northeast of Geilenkirchen, the Ninth was still fighting to dislodge the enemy from the last one-fourth of Beeck in rubble strewn with German dead.

The U. S. First Army troops in the fifth day of the seesaw struggle for Inden, astride a comparatively good road to Duren, claimed control of all except a few blocks of the town.

They moved within less than a mile of Gey, a gateway to the Cologne plain 4 miles southwest of Duren.

Three miles farther south they were attacking Brandenberg, a mile west of the Roer, from the northwest, west and southwest.

Three and a half miles west of Duren, a small U. S. force clung to the west edge of Merode, while a unit shoved off from Jungersdorf, 1½ miles northwest, to clear the woods between them.

Protestants Plan To Establish Own University

Philadelphia, Dec. 1 (AP).—The Christian University Association of America, asserting that "higher education, by and large, in America is anti-Christian," announced today detailed plans for the establishment of a new university on the five million dollar estate of the late Joseph Widener.

The association announced acquisition of the estate October 31.

The Rev. Edwin H. Rian, general secretary, said the university, which probably will open in 1946, will be co-educational.

"To our knowledge there is no Christian university representing historic Protestantism while the Roman Catholics have 168 colleges and 25 universities," the association's literature said.

Members of the association's board are members of seven Protestant denominations, although the denominations are not officially represented. The denominations are: Presbyterian Church in Canada, Presbyterian Church in the United States (South), reformed Church of America, Christian Reformed Church, Reformed Episcopal Church, Reformed Presbyterian Church, Orthodox Presbyterian Church and the Calvinist Church.

Big Day for Grandma

Newburyport, Mass. (U.P.).—Mrs. Jennie Fowler became a grandmother again and also a great-grandmother on the same day when her daughter and granddaughter give birth to girls. Mrs. Fowler is 87 years old.

Yes, Virginia, This Is Snow

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

POOR SCRATCHING—Pigeons of Syracuse's Clinton Square found the pickin's poor after a snowstorm which swept New York State Thursday night, leaving the city buried under a foot of snow

2d Consumer Parley Called In Greenbelt

While the Greenbelt Consumers Services board of directors have set January 8 for the second section of the adjourned quarterly membership meeting, the auditing committee, using the power vested in them under the by-laws, has jumped the gun and called a membership meeting for December 11 at 8 p. m. in the municipal auditarium at the elementary school building, Michael H. Salzman, committee chairman, said yesterday.

The regular meeting November 22, proved to be stormy despite the lack of a quorum, was adjourned without specification of any proposed date. As the agenda contained three proposed by-law changes, the directors decided to abide by the 30-day notice period rule. Meanwhile, the auditing committee is seeking legal opinion aas to whether the previous notification, before the November 22 session, is sufficient to take up the by-law questions.

In any event the auditing committee will recommend impeachment of the entire board of directors and the election of a new panel, it was said. The question of paying Christmas bonuses to the GCS employes will also come up for action and a nominations and elections committee will be selected. A total of 226 members are needed for a quorum.

Army Wives Elect

Mrs. Harry Hazell has been named president of the new Greenbelt Army Wives Club for a six-month term and Mrs. Nevella Rothgeb has been elected vice president. The secretary and treasurer will be Mrs. Robert Locklear, with Mrs. Walter Felter as assistant.

A Christmas box will be filled with books, records, games, homemade candy and cookies for convalescent soldiers at the Walter Reed Forest Glen Hospital. The Army wives are also collecting clothing and household articles for Prince Georges welfare work. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hazell at 16-U Ridge rd.

Reception at Church

Reception of members and holy communion will mark the regular service of the Greenbelt Community Church tomorrow at 11 a. m. at the Municipal Auditorium. The Rev. Wilmer Pierce Johnston will deliver a short communion address. Dwight Trucksess will direct the choir with Mrs. Hester Neff at the organ, and Mrs. Katie Barili in charge of the nursery.

Mrs. Paul Featherby of 19-A Ridge rd., will be hostess to the Church Guild Wednesday at 2 p. m. Mrs. George Wyant, Guild president, will head the committee completing plans for the bazaar December 9 from 7 to 10 p. m. for the church building fund.

The church choir is in ned of additional singers for the annual Christmas carol program. Trucksess will direct the carol singers.

LITTELL

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it was the committee, not Littell, which had made Littell's statement a public document.

Letter Released Voluntarily

"The letter was given to the committee at its request and a letter likewise was obtained from the Attorney General," Ferguson said.

"The committee released the letters voluntarily. Certainly Littell violated no rule of secrecy."

Biddle confined himself to a short letter informing the committee that he had not requested Littell's resignation because of any testimony he had given a congressional committee.

Littell sent in a 25-page statement in which he charged that the Attorney eneral was influenced by former New Deal braintruster Thomas E. Corcoran, notably in connection with a proposed settlement with the Savannah Shipyards Corp.

Greek Premier Hopes Pact Crisis Will Be Eased

Athens, Dec. 1 (AP).—Premier George Papandreou, refusing to consider new Communist demands as the Greek cabinet crisis continued, told newspapermen today that "I hope the Communist Party will not throw the country into civil war simply because we invite it to sign an agreement which itself prepared."

Alexander Svolos, minister of finance, has urged Papandreou to accept new proposals but the premier has refused. The EAM central committee met and reaffirmed the necessity of national unity but Communists have refused to relax demands for disarmament of all forces.

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still men and the newsreel men and also the inevitable cry of just one more pose—especially the pose with Mrs. Stettinius.

"Kiss her again," one of the cameramen said, and the new No. 1 Cabinet officer did without any sign of pain.

Then he moved into a nearby reception room and held his first press conference as Secretary. He promised to assist the reporters "in carrying out your very important duties here of informing the American people in regard to day-to-day developments in our foreign policy and our relations with foreign countries.

"I should like in these first words as Secretary of State," Stettinius said, "to pay tribute to Cordell Hull whom we all hold in a very special place of affection and high esteem.

Truly Great Statesman

"Cordell Hull stands out as a truly great statesman and humanitarian. He early sam and warned against the dangers from the forces of tyranny and aggression that confronted us. In our darkest hours he was steadfast in his faith in the objectives which he proclaimed. With his vision and a sure hand he began under the President's direction the great task of building the foundations for a secure and lasting peace.

"I now take up the heavy responsibilities which Cordell Hull, unfortunately for all of us, has found it necessary to relinquish.

"I do so humbly and with a deep sense of dedication. I shall do my utmost to carry out the high principles for which Mr. Hull has always stood in the conduct of our foreign policy. To build from the havoc of this war a peace that will endure is a task far beyond the strength and wisdom of any one man or group of men It will require the active participation and support of all the American people—and of all the other peace-loving people of the world.

"We Must Not Fail"

"In this task we must not fail. To this task I dedicate myself in the sure knowledge that together we will not fail."

Besides General Marshall and the wives of Justice Jackson and Senator Byrd, the intimate friends that witnessed the swearing-in ceremony were as follows:

Mrs. William J. Wallace, mother of Mrs. Stettinius; Mr. and Mrs. Juan Trippe, brother-in-law and sister of Secretary Stettinius; Mrs. W. C. Stettinius, widow of the Secretary's only brother; Oscar Cox, general counsel of FEA; Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Pratt; Mrs. Frank Allen, wife of General Allen, a cousin on the side of Stettinius' father; Mrs. John Marsh, the Secretary's elder sister; Wilder Foote of FEA; Mrs. Hugh O'Donovan and Miss Betty Stettinius, nieces; and Col. Frank McCarthy, aide to General Marshall.

Mrs. Cordell Hull was invited but was not able to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Utz likewise were unable to attend. Secretary Stettinius, when asked about their names on the guest list, explained that they were a couple who took care of his Virginia home, Horseshoe Farm on the Rapidan.

Jean Bennett Guild To Fete Soldiers At Club Tonight

The Jean Bennett Guild will sponsor the servicemen's program tonight at the Bennett Memorial Service Club, the Central Union Mission, 613 C st. nw. Janice Martin will direct games. Robert Kleinbeck, seaman first class, will lead the hymn "sing" and a film will be shown. Navy Photographer Marvin Carlson will lead singing tomorrow at 8 p. m. Mrs. James Downing, teacher of the servicewomen's class, will give a "flannel-draft" talk. The Rev. Herbert Eberhardt, mission superintendent, will speak.

P-51 Mustang Hits Speed of 450 M.P.H.

Inglewood, Calif., Dec. 1 (U.P.).—North American Aircraft, Inc., today announced that the P-51 Mustang fighter is capable of 450 M. P. H. in level flight. The plane, holder of the transcontinental speed record, has an altitude ceiling of more than 40,000 feet and a range of 2000 miles, the War Department approved statement said.

London Clergyman To Speak Here

The Rev. George Grieve, minister of the Highgate Unitarian Church, London, England, will address the Laymen's League dinner Thursday at All Soul's Unitarian Church on "The England We Want." The Rev. A. Powell Davies will preach tomorrow at 11 a. m. on "The Stutter of Demosthenes."

Crete Guerillas Corner 15,000 Nazis, Italians

Guerilla Headquarters Near Khania, Crete, Nov. 30 (Delayed) (AP).—Fifteen thousand German and Fascist Italian troops now are effectively bottled up in the northwest corner of Crete without hope of escape.

Several thousand men trained and armed by British and American liaison officers are holding a 40-mile-long perimeter against the enemy. The German holdings include the Suda Bay area.

The guerillas are headed by Gen. Nikola Papadakis, military governor of Crete for the Greek government.

Operations against the Germans and Italians are directed from a headquarters 3000 feet in the mountains overlooking all of the enemy positions. The investing forces include formations of the Eamelas Andartes and the EOK, the latter a Crete nationalist, group that is holding four-fifths of the line.

At present action is confined to repulsing German forays. A victory was won November 12 to 14 after German armored-car squads had razed 7 small villages burned 22 villagers alive and executed a number of hostages.

The Cretans ambushed the main German column in a ravine, killed 80, wounded 100 and put the rest to flight.

Pointing out the scene of this battle, Maj. Bruce Mitford, formerly classics professor at St. Andrews University, Scotland, said, "The Germans were utterly shaken. One German officer screamed at the men to hold, but they broke and ran like sheep."

General Papadakis' headquarters daily receives dozens of deserters from the German area—mostly Italians, but also some Germans.

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Roosevelt named him to the surplus board.

Admit Lack of Knowledge

Both Heller and Hurley admitted that they knew little at present about the surplus property bill passed by Congress which establishes the board on which they were named to serve.

Both said they could not be specific at this time about just what their duties would be.

Hurley told the committee his only manufacturing experience before he became vice president of the Narragansett concern was in the Rokacar Co., which he founded with another man.

He disclosed that the company, a very small firm manufacturing greasing devices for automobiles, folded after three years because of a suit for infringement of patent brought by a much larger concern.

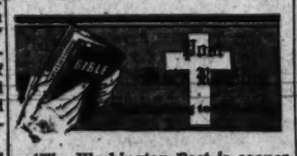
Downey Speaks for Heller

A warm speech of commendation for Heller was made to the committee by Senator Sheridan Downey (D., Calif.), who lauded Heller's sound business experience an dhis "social outlook."

Heller listed a large number of California concerns in which he was an officer and director, including the Permanente Steamship Lines, a Henry Kaiser company.

Both Hurley and Heller denied that they had talked with each other concerning loans made to the Narragansett Co. which were severely criticized last year by the House Military Affairs Committee.

Selection of Narragansett as an absolutely vital production agency which must be maintained at all costs was made by the Ordnance Office at Boston and not by him, Heller said.



(The Washington Post is cooperating with the Washington City Bible Society in publishing selected Scriptural verses, Thanksgiving to Christmas.)

TODAY—ST. JOHN'S GOSPEL, CHAPTER 3

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved.

He that believeth on Him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved.

But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.

TOMORROW—ISAIAH 40.

Post Project Praised

The cooperation of The Washington Post in publishing the daily Bible readings was cited as "a great practical service" yesterday by Dr. W. L. Darby, president of the Washington City Bible Society.

"Many persons who do not have a Bible at hand will read the verses published," he said. "Others will turn to their Bibles in order to complete the chapter from which the verses are taken. In either case they become a part of a great company who are reading the same passage each day. This procedure will bring a spiritual blessing to the hearts of many people scattered over the world—both civilians and men and women in the armed forces. Will you not join them?"

Dr. Darby has announced that bookmarks giving the entire list of 33 chapters can be secured without cost from the Washington City Bible Society, 1311 G st. nw. Telephone: MET-3141.

OPA Denies Manufacturers Keep Smokes

OPA asserted yesterday that cigarette manufacturers had nothing to do with the current shortage.

The statement, reinforcing earlier comments in the same vein, was issued in denial of widespread man-in-the-street rumors that manufacturers are holding back some of their stocks. Rumor had it that this withholding, and a contention on the part of manufacturers that raw tobacco prices are too high for the present ceilings on smokes, might bring about an increase in the wholesale ceiling price.

OPA flatly denied this. It said that not since March, 1942, have manufacturers of popular brands or the tobacco industry as a whole sought a ceiling boost.

On Capitol Hill yesterday, Senator Wheeler (D., Mont.) called on the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the shortage, saying servicemen and civilians are "entitled to know the facts." Wheeler himself smokes nothing but cigars.

From Government and tobacco sources there seemed to be no new "scarce" and "abnormal" buying. Dealers, said the OPA, are getting the same quota they have been getting for months.

The pricing agency called attention to its announcement of two weeks ago that manufacturers are producing more cigarettes than ever before in history and that more are available for domestic consumers than in any year with the exception of 1943.

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program to give WPB field offices experience with the processing of reconversion applications prior to the defeat of Germany to better handle the release of controls after Germany is knocked out of the war, at the same time giving employment to pools of labor made idle by production cutbacks.

The four officials also directed their field staffs to exert "every effort" to make additional labor available for war production, even if manpower must be taken away from less essential civilian production and service industries.

WMC has had authority to reduce employment ceilings of less essential employers, but has generally refrained from exercising it.

The letter specified that no authorization could be approved for the shortage areas and specifically listed cities in the field without the concurrence of all affected agencies through their representatives on the production urgency committees of each area. Previously, only a majority vote of committee members was required for approval, with WMC's representative having a veto on manpower allocations.

Cases May Be Referred

If unanimous agreement is not forthcoming, the case may be referred to Washington for action by the Production Executive Committee of the WPB, the letter said.

Adding emphasis to the fear of military representatives that talk of reconversion will stimulate a letdown in war production, the letter stressed that publicity on any granted authorizations should state that it was "made possible only because no labor or materials were involved which were needed for war production."

"In view of the extremely heavy manpower demands for urgent war production," the letter said, "it is not possible at this time to grant any blanket exemption from these policies to smaller plants. Applications from such plants, however, should be given particularly prompt consideration."

Plane Production Under November Goal

Preliminary figures indicated last night that between 6750 and 6800 airplanes were produced during November when approximately 7000 planes were scheduled. Production of B-29 superbombers was said to be behind schedule.

Design changes, production losses due to the Thanksgiving holiday, and usual manpower difficulties were blamed.

Vivien Kellems To Appear Monday Before Committee

Miss Vivien Kellems, petite Westport, Conn., war manufacturer, will appear before the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads Monday, when hearings on censorship leaks will be disclosed.

Portions of letters from Miss Kellems to Count Karl von Zedlitz, Argentine agent for the German steel trust, were broadcast by Drew Pearson, columnist and commentator and put in the Congressional Record by Representative John M. Coffee (D., Wash.).

The Senate group has been trying to find out how the excerpts of her letters leaked to Pearson and Coffee.

Chaplain Sayre To Speak Here

Chaplain Francis B. Sayre, jr., of the Navy Yard Receiving Station, grandson of President Wilson, will address the opening of the Chinese-American Servicemen's Club tomorrow at 7 p. m. at the Chinese Community Church, 1011 L st. nw.

Dr. Smith to Preach At Asbury Tomorrow

Dr. Ralph D. Smith, superintendent of the Washington West District of the Methodist Church, will preach at the Francis Asbury Methodist Church tomorrow at 8 p. m. Following the sermon he will administer the Lord's Supper.

Dr. R. I. Wood, pastor, will direct Communion service at 11 a. m.

The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Schmidt Now Directs Foreign Funds Control

PEOPLE AND JOBS: At Treasury, Orvis Schmidt is the new director of Foreign Funds Control. He succeeds John Pehle, who transferred to Procurement. Schmidt has been acting director since Pehle was detailed to the War Refugee Board. FFC will report to Secretary Morgenthau through Harry White, chief of the Division of Monetary Research. And if a promotion is made from within, the new Assistant Secretary is likely to be White, who presented the United States monetary policy at Bretton Woods and who works well with the Secretary. Roy Blough, chief of the Tax Research Division, has been appointed Assistant to the Secretary in charge of tax policies. He'll take over some of the functions of the general counsel, and the Internal Revenue Bureau will report to the Secretary through Joe O'Connell, the general counsel. Blough will explain Treasury tax policies before congressional committees.

KLUTTZ

At Interior, cigarettes are to be rationed by the cafeteria, two packs a week to the actual smokers who hold the precious ration cards. Secretary Ickes decided upon the share plan after he discovered a long line of his employes waiting to buy cigarettes in the cafeteria. Interior employes report for work at 7:45—before most stores open, and instead of going to work a good many headed for the cafeteria to buy smokes. Yesterday the sale of smokes in the building was suspended for a week, and meantime a survey will be made of actual smokers and each smoker will be issued a ration card. Starting next Friday the cafeteria will sell cigarettes only from 8 until 11 a. m. and only two packs a week to holders of the cards. Other Federal agencies may follow similar rationing plans. Employes are protesting that outsiders come in Government buildings to buy up the supply.

Several changes have been made at Civil Service. David Davison, assistant chief of the service records division, has been assigned to the new veterans' office and William Byram, assistant chief of the office services, has replaced Davison at service records. Charles Brill was promoted to take Byram's old job. . . . The Lane bill as approved by the House and reported favorably by the Senate Civil Service Committee authorizes lumpsum payments for annual leave when an employe leaves the service. It also provides for the payment of annual leave to the beneficiary of a Federal workers who dies in the service. It does not increase from 90 to 120 days the amount of annual leave that can be carried over on January 1. That bill is in a pigeonhole in the House committee. The provision for the payment of annual leave to beneficiaries will stop much of the hat passing in Federal agencies when employes die.

Dr. A. G. McCall, noted Agriculture soil scientist, will retire after having served the department for 29 years. Yesterday ended 32 years in Government for Mrs. A. Serena Pinn, who retired from the Navy Department . . . Before James F. Byrnes was persuaded to remain in Government he was offered several other top jobs, according to people who should know. He was first offered the job of civilian administrator of Germany, and later he had a chance to replace Ambassador John Winant in Great Britain. If Byrnes had accepted the Ambassador's job, it's said, Winant would have been brought back here and given a top State Department post.

GET IN LINE!

In Washington, you learn to stay
In "Indian file" for hours each day.
This one command you must obey,
GET IN LINE.

They give you half an hour to eat,
Select a lunch and find a seat,
You spend the half hour on your feet;
GET IN LINE.

On payday, too, you risk your necks
To rush downtown to cash your checks,
The same old thing at Kann's and Hecht's;
GET IN LINE.

You go to see a picture show;
The line extends a block or so;
In wind or rain, in sun or snow;
GET IN LINE.

A postage stamp you wish to buy?
Or pay a bill? Until you die,
You'll hear that same familiar cry:
GET IN LINE.

You'll try to enter Heaven some day
If you don't head the other way.
To Washingtonians, they'll say:
GET IN LINE.

But, seriously, there is a way
To stand in line and make it pay—
Step up and buy a BOND Today!
GET IN LINE!!

Bond, $60 Lost in Church

Miss Ruby Pridemore, 415 Butternut st. nw., told police that while at the National Baptist Church, 16th st. and Columbia rd. nw., $60 and a $50 war bond were taken from her purse.

Bowie Given 5-Year Term In Girl's Death

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—John Earl Bowie, 26-year-old Quantico shoe repair shop operator, was sentenced by Judge Leon Bazile this afternoon to serve five years in the State Penitentiary after a Spotsylvania County Circuit Court jury had found him guilty of involuntary manslaughter in the death of Clara Olivia Spencer, 19, his employe.

The case went to the jury at 2:45 p. m. and J. S. Kent, foreman, delivered the jury's verdict of guilty at 3:14 o'clock.

Verdict Is Assailed

W. W. Butzner, defense counsel, moved to have the verdict set aside. Judge Bazile agreed to give further study to the record, and Bowie's bond of $10,000 was continued.

Butzner listed his reasons for asking the verdict be set aside as being the evidence did not support the verdict; no corpus delicti was proven; the verdict was contrary to the law and evidence, and that the court improperly instructed the jury.

Bowie, married and the father of three children, showed no change of expression during the trial or at the time the verdict or sentence were given.

Miss Spencer died September 10 from a fractured skull and other injuries suffered when she stepped or fell from Bowie's car seven miles from Fredericksburg. Dr. John E. Cole told the court that Miss Spencer was pregnant and said he found evidence of a recent attempt at illegal operation.

Fell From Moving Car

Sergt. Steve A. Dyskiewicz testified earlier in the trial that he saw the girl step onto the running board of Bowie's car which was moving and then fall into the road. He said Bowie apparently was unaware of what had happened and that he (Dyskiewicz) had to shout at him and blow the car horn to stop Bowie's car.

Joseph A. Billingsley, associate prosecuting attorney, in his argument, pictured Bowie as a sinister character, who employed the Spencer girl as a child of 16, and "whom he bought charms and terrified and led her down the long trail of degration in death." Billingsley gave Bowie's motive as "insane and unreasonable jealousy, and said it was impossible for the girl to have left Bowie's car without his knowledge."

Butzner, in his argument to the jury, contended the Commonwealth had not appealed to reason but had "attempted to fan the flames of indignation." He said there was no evidence of violence or struggle in the car before the girl left the vehicle, and that all of her injuries were of a nature expected in a fall of that kind. He asked for a verdict of acquittal since the State had not established Bowie's guilt beyond reasonable doubt.

Front Royal Area Topographic Map Published by State

Richmond, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—Dr. Arthur Bevan, State geologist of the Virginia Conservation Commission, announced today that a new topographic map of the area surrounding Front Royal in Warren County has just been published, replacing the old generalized map of the area, which was made by the Federal Government in 1885.

Details of the map, including surface features which are clearly shown because of the large scale, provide the "spotting of each farmhouse, shown by a black dot. All churches and schools are shown by black symbols. All of the secondary roads and lanes are shown as well as the main highways, which are printed in red.

The map, on which an inch represents a mile of ground, shows 235 square miles or approximately 150,000 acres, shows in detail all of the drainage, land forms, with each type of detailing printed in a different color on the large map. The streams are printed in blue.

Copies of the map can be obtained, Dr. Bevan announced, from the Virginia Geological Survey at Charlottesville for 10 cents a copy.

Two More Frederick Men Reported Killed

Frederick, Md., Dec. 1. (Spl.)—Two more Frederick County soldiers have been reported killed in action by the War Department. T-5 Morris E. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman, near Creagerstown, was killed on November 15 in France, his parents have been advised. Pvt. Harry M. Hahn, jr., Brunswick, who was reported missing in action on June 25, has now been officially reported dead, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hahn, have been informed.

W. Va. Woman Killed In Truck-Auto Crash

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 1 (Spl.).—Mrs. Unie Jane Nelson, 65, wife of Claude Nelson of near Riverton, Pendleton County, was instantly killed near Circleville, that county, when the pickup truck in which she was riding crashed head-on into another car. Mrs. Nelson and her son, driving, were returning home from Circleville when the crash occurred.

Maryland Delegates to 4-H Congress

LEAVE FOR CHICAGO—Pictured are 12 of Maryland's 22 delegates to the National 4-H Club Congress which will be held in Chicago next week. The group left last night together with five adult chaperones. Front row (left to right): Kathryn Rittenhouse, Caroline County; Kathryn Myers, Carroll County; Margaret Rhoderick, Frederick County; Hedwig Heinemann, Washington County, and Lois Mullinix, Howard County. Back row: Calvin Murray, Howard County; Edwin C. Fry, Montgomery County; Herbert Wessel, jr., Howard County; Oscar F. Grimes, jr., Anne Arundel County; William Cunningham, Washington County, and Malcolm Mathias, Carroll County

Officials Claim Confession in Slaying of Two

Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—Cecil Lewis Pritchett, 59, has confessed the killing of two men near Snell, Spotsylvania County, Commonwealth's Attorney Ross S. Gibson said yesterday and added that a charge of murder would be issued against the man.

Pritchett was detained for investigation following the deaths Wednesday morning of James Brown, 61, and Marion Gayle, 44, whose bodies were found with the faces blown away by shotgun fire about 150 yards from Brown's home.

Officials said the confession was obtained when Pritchett, who, Mrs. Brown said, had come to the house about 1 a. m. Wednesday to go hunting with her husband and Gayle, was presented with metal parts of two empty shotgun shells which were found in a stove at the Brown home.

Near the two bodies was found a cap, which Spotsylvania County Officer S. Walker Burgess identified as belonging to Pritchett. Burgess said the cap bore an identification card for Pritchett to work at Quantico.

Sheriff M. L. Blaydes said that when apprehended, Pritchett was carrying a shotgun. Pritchett has been in jail since then.

No reason for the shooting has been assigned publicly as yet.

State to Remodel Court Building

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—Remodeling of the State Court of Appeals building will begin as soon as possible, local Red Cross officials stated today in disclosing the Red Cross would move its offices from the building.

The contemplated changes will provide the appellate judges with private offices in the building. Present court quarters have not been enlarged since the building was erected about 40 years ago, and have no facilities for privacy except the consultation room at the rear of the court. Remodeling plans were proposed at the time the State Office Building was completed.

The Red Cross offices for home service, nursing, blood bank, motor corps and volunteer special services will be moved to 44 State Circle. No space for the Red Cross production office has yet been obtained.

GOP Group Named to Map Course on War Voters' Law

Richmond, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—State Republican leaders meeting here today named a committee to bring in recommendations on a course of action to be followed by the party in the event a special session of the General Assembly is called to act on a new war voters law.

Curtis M. Dozier, Republican National Committee, was appointed William R. Shaffer of Woodstock, chairman of the conference, and secretary.

Named to the committee to study recommendations were B. A. Davis, jr., of Rocky Mount, Maj. Henry A. Wise of Carters Bridge, Lester Parsons of Norfolk, Ralph Lincoln of Marion, and W. C. Demming of Front Royal.

Dozier said the committee would report probably late tonight or tomorrow.

Henry W. Anderson, one-time Republican candidate for Governor, outlined views of the party at the opening session.

Prior to the conference, Dozier stated that there was no set program for the meeting, which he said was called to discuss the situation brought about by the recent invalidation by the State Supreme Court of the war voting act. He said the leaders would probably reaffirm the party's traditional stand for complete abolition of the poll tax provisions in the constitution.

Meanwhile, there were no developments to indicate what course of action might be decided upon by State Democratic leaders. Governor Darden was in Wilmington, Del., to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with his family, and was not expected to return to Richmond until late Saturday.

The Governor has written members of the General Assembly for their advice on what should be done to extend the voting privilege to personnel of the armed forces. Most of the members have replied, but the Governor has not revealed details. He has said, however, that a majority of those who have replied favor the calling of a special session.

Mental Asylum In Critical Need Of Attendants

Baltimore, Dec. 1 (AP).—Painters, carpenters and farm hands are now being pressed into service as ward attendants to alleviate the critical help shortage at Crownsville State Prison, Dr. George H. Preston, commissioner of mental hygiene, disclosed today.

The situation at Crownsville, with approximately 600 patients, is worse than that of any other mental hospital in the State, he said. There is now a ratio of only one attendant to every 27 patients. He said the standard is one to eight.

Dr. Preston said he had been informed by Dr. Robert P. Winterode, Crownsville superintendent, that the industrial shop which takes care of maintenance and supply for the hospital had been closed because it was necessary to put the foreman to work in the wards.

The hospital painter and the carpenter are working as ward attendants, the latter after his regular hours. Many of the farming activities have been cut down in order to use the farm hands in more vital jobs, although this will necessarily curtail the food supplies of the institution, the superintendent reported.

Every extra activity at the other mental hospitals has also been eliminated, Dr. Preston said.

Woman Dies of Burns

Baltimore, Dec. 1 (AP).—Mrs. Ruth Martin, 70, died in the University Hospital today from burns received when her clothing caught fire while she was working near the kitchen stove in her Reisterstown home on November 1.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, Dec. 1 (AP) (WFA Office of Distribution).—CATTLE—Receipts, 250; inquiry broad for cows; fully steady with Thursday; odd medium beef cows, 11.00; better kinds lacking; cutter and common, 6.50@10.00; canners, 4.50@6.00; largely 5.00 up; top sausage bulls, 11.50; bulk, 8.50@11.00.

CALVES—Receipts, 25; nominally steady; unchanged.

HOGS—Receipts, 400; active, steady with Thursday; practical top, 14.50; unchanged.

SHEEP—Receipts, 50; nominally steady; good and choice wooled lambs 70 lbs. and up quotable 14.00@14.50; common and medium, 9.00@12.00; culls around 7.00; choice lightweight slaughter ewes 5.50 down.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., Dec. 1 (AP) (USDA).—Richmond fruit and produce market report. (Prices represent sales on wholesale market):

WHITE POTATOES—New: Receipts heavy. Market steady. 100-lb. sacks, New York and Maine, 3.25@3.50.

CABBAGE—Receipts heavy. Market dull. 50-lb. sacks, Virginia and New York, 1.50@1.75.

APPLES—Receipts heavy. Various varieties, small and 1½ in. sizes, no demand, 2¼-2½ and up, 1.50@2.00, some few higher.

EGGS—Receipts light to moderate; market steady; Federal-State grading stations: Whites, browns, U. S. Grade A, large, 54@56 dozen; U. S. Grade A, medium, 49@50; U. S. Grade A, small, 38@40; U. S. Grade B, large, 43@44; U. S. Grade B, medium, 35; U. S. Grade C, large, 35; pullets, 35@36; nearby ungraded current receipts, whites and mixed colors, 48@42; 43@45 for 56 lbs. and up.

LIVE POULTRY—Receipts of chickens extremely light, demand exceeds supply; market steady; broilers, fryers and roasters, 28½ lb.; colored hens, 25 lb.; Leghorns, 22@24; old roosters, 20; old turkeys, all weights, 33.20 per 100 lbs.; young turkeys, all weights, $33.20 per 100 lbs., plus hauling allowance according to distance.

HOGS—Receipts, 2200. Market steady with Wednesday. 180-240 lb. grain-fed hogs, 14.00; 100-120 lbs., 10.75; 120-140 lbs., 12.60; 140-160 lbs., 13.25; 160-180 lbs., 13.85; 240-270 lbs., 13.40; 270-300 lbs., 13.10; 300-330 lbs., 12.85; weights, 330 lbs. up, 12.60; good sows under 350 lbs., 12.25; 350-500 lbs., 11.75; over 500 lbs., 11.00; good stags, 8.00.

CATTLE—Sales early in the week of best steers brought 14.00@15.00; medium to good, 11.00@14.00; commoner, 8.00@9.00; today's market is active with top dairy type cows selling 8.00@9.00; medium to good, 6.50@8.00; common grades, 4.50@6.00; shelly kinds, 3.50@4.00; good butcher bulls are bringing 8.50@9.50; sausage bulls, according to size and quality, 6.00@8.00. Good and choice vealers are steady, 14.00@14.50; medium calves, 11.00@13.00; common, 8.00@10.00. Top lambs, 13.50; medium to good, 12.00@13.00; lower grades at 9.00 and hard to sell.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 1 (AP) (WFA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 9000; total, 14,000; bulk all weights and sows sold slow and steady, some late clearup sales barrows and gilts weak to 10 cents lower; good and choice hogs, 190 lbs. and over, 13.50@13.95; top, 14.00; small quota good and choice, 150-180 lbs., 13.25@13.75; few late sales good and choice, 190 lbs. and up, 13.75@13.85; most good and choice 300-500 lb. sows, 13.65@13.75; complete clearance.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 2500; total, 3000; salable calves, 700; total, 700; no reliable outlet for fed steers and yearlings; scattered sales in line with recent sharp downturn; few loads, 14.00@17.00, these 75@1.00 under last week's high time; only action today centers on cows and common and medium heifers, these steady to 25 cents lower, fully 50 cents under week's high time; canner and cutter cows, 5.50@6.75; good shipper cows, 13.50; bulk beef cows, 8.00@10.50; not enough bulls sold to make a market; vealers steady at 13.50, mostly 13.00 down; stockers and feeder trade at standstill.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 3000; total, 10,000; scattered early sales steady but some bids on lambs weak to 25 cents lower; few early sales good and choice native lambs, 14.50; other natives and fed Westerns held for 14.75; call and common light native lambs unevenly 7.00@11.50; slaughter ewes 6.25 down, few culls as low as 4.50.

Roxbury Farm May Change to Youths' Prison

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—Plans to transform the State penal farm at Roxbury into an institution to house prison inmates between 16 and 26 years old were disclosed today by Governor O'Conor.

Joseph H. A. Rogan, chairman of the Board of Correction, and Governor O'Conor collaborated on the plan which will be presented to the board and to the Legislative Council.

Offenders in that young age group were causing penal authorities throughout the country grave concern, the Governor declared, because of the danger of throwing younger prisoners into the company of the more hardened, older-age criminals.

Segregation Ordered

The last General Assembly authorized the Board of Correction to segregate the 16 to 20-year inmates who are deemed too incorrigible to be handled in the juvenile institutions of the State. In keeping with that act, and as a first step toward its achievement, at the Maryland Training School at Loch Raven a unit was designed to take care of a limited number of youthful offenders who needed more disciplinary handling than the usual inmates of the school.

At the present time, O'Conor reported, the three State penal institutions for males have a population of approximately 2650, of which 742 are between the ages of 16 and 25 and serving sentences of less than five years. Another 217 inmates in that age group are serving sentences of more than five years.

The younger prisoners are divided among the three institutions as follows: 422 in the house of correction, 176 at the penal farm and 144 at the penitentiary.

Declared Ideal Place

The figures disclose, the Governor explained, that there are a sufficient number of younger prisoners in the State to fill the State penal farm virtually to capacity, in addition, he said, the construction of the farm is ideal for dealing with youthful offenders. Classrooms are available for academic training, and there are adequate facilities for recreational and religious activities as well as shop space for vocational training.

The penal farm lends itself, O'Conor added, to segregation between the younger men and the older even in the limited age group.

In connection with the plan to establish an institution for younger offenders, the Governor also proposes to change State law so that courts would be able to sentence younger persons directly to the planned institution on an indeterminate sentence, with possibly a maximum limit. This change would leave it to the department of correction to determine how much of the maximum sentence should be served within the institution and how much under parole supervision.

City Engineer Quits, Blames Committee

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—The resignation of Robert L. Burwell, city engineer since 1939, because he did "not think it proper to accept any further salary from the city" under present circumstances, was submitted to the mayor and aldermen, to become effective December 4, it was learned today.

Burwell's letter of resignation stated, in part:

"Not so long after going to work for the city I became persona non grata to the 1939 Street Committee, of which the present autocratic dean of the council was chairman, with the final result that there is at the present time practically no duty left to the city engineer."

Hagerstown Reservoir Plan Is Surveyed

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—Surveys were being made today for Hagerstown's proposed 20 million gallon reservoir under the supervision of City Engineer Charles W. Stump.

It was indicated by Federal agencies, who have looked over the local water situation, that Federal funds would be available for the $100,000 project because of the emergency nature of the project.

$3,228,100 High

3 Bids Made For Vepco's Transit Lines

Richmond, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—Bids for the Norfolk and Richmond transportation systems of the Virginia Electric & Power Co. were announced by VEPCO board of directors after a meeting today as follows:

A. C. Allyn & Co., investment bankers of Chicago, in combination with Equitable Securities Corp. of Chattanooga, $3,228,100; S. S. Jessup, Charlottesville, $3,150,000, and the Greyhound Corp., $2,107,000.

The board announced that a change had been made in conditions of bidding, so that the successful bidders will operate the systems in both Norfolk and Richmond.

It emphasized that the sale may not necessarily be made to the highest bidder.

VEPCO decided to sell its transportation systems in mid-October, when it appeared to the company's board of directors that it would be more advantageous to sell the properties now, under existing laws, than to wait until later when sale might be ordered by a mandate of the U. S. Supreme Court. The Securities and Exchange Commission ordered VEPCO to divest itself of its transportation facilities, but the order has been in the mill of appealed litigation for more than two years.

Md. Factory Jobs Off 9%

Baltimore, Dec. 1 (AP).—Employment in 653 Maryland factories totaled 201,450 persons in October, a drop of 9 per cent from the September total, while the combined weekly payrolls aggregated $10,176,221 last month, a gain of 2 per cent, John M. Pohlhaus reported today.

Pohlhaus, Commissioner of Labor Statistics, said that the factory employment index for last month, 159, decreased from October, 1943, by more than 14 per cent and the payrolls index, 345.5, also dropped from the same month last year by about 13 per cent. The index is based on the monthly average of the years 1929, 1930 and 1931 as 100.

The average hourly pay rate of 99.8 cents was determined for October of this year, and the employes worked an average of 46 hours per week, the Commissioner's report disclosed.

Industrial establishments in the Baltimore area had slight decreases both in employment and payrolls from September to October.

City Bond Sale Set

Roanoke, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—Roanoke city council today adopted a resolution submitted by Councilman R. W. Cutshall, chairman of the city water committee, providing that a total of $1,585,000 in self-liquidating serial and term bonds shall be offered for sale between December 20 and January 15, to obtain funds for developing an additional water supply for the city.

Medical Group Favors Draft to Get Army Nurses

Baltimore, Dec. 1 (AP).—Two hundred doctors and nurses, who met in Baltimore to discuss the lag in Army nurse recruitment, were on record today as indorsing a Selective Service Act for women as a means of securing the necessary nurses.

The group was told last night that 11 general hospitals ordered to move overseas this month would each be short of the minimum number of nurses required.

The group was told the Army must have 10,000 additional nurses by January 1 and the Navy an additional 4000 by July 1.

Among those attending the meeting were Miss Anna D. Wolf, director of the school of nursing and nursing service, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore; P. J. McMullen, chairman of the Maryland-District of Columbia Hospital Association; Mrs. Florence Marshall, Red Cross director of nursing service, Eastern area, and Col. Burdette Sherer, assistant to the Surgeon General, Third Service Command.

W. Va. Couple Marks Golden Anniversary

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 1 (Spl.).—Mr. and Mrs. Conard Beard, residing near North Mountain, this county, yesterday observed their golden wedding anniversary with five of their children and four grandchildren joining them for a dinner.

Mr. Beard, 79, is a native of this county. Mrs. Beard, 68, before marriage was Miss Agnes Fink of Millstone, Md. They were married in Hancock, Md. Seven of their eight children are living.

2 Enter Race For Satterfield Congress Seat

Richmond, Va., Dec. 1 (AP).—J. Vaughan Gary, president of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce, and B. C. (Brownie) Wharton, well known in local political and Athletic circles, said today they are candidates for Congress to succeed Representative Dave E. Satterfield, jr.

Satterfield has resigned to accept a position as general counsel for the Life Insurance Association of America.

J. Louis Reynolds, vice president of Reynolds Metals Co., and activities chairman of the Committee of 100, has said he is "seriously considering" announcing for the post.

Others whose names have been mentioned in connection with filling Satterfield's place are State Senator Charles W. Crowder, of Richmond; Ashton Dovell, of Williamsburg, former speaker of the House of Delegates; Horace H. Edwards, city attorney of Richmond and State Democratic Committee chairman; T. McCall Frazier, former ABC board member and director of the division of motor vehicles; Delegate Beecher E. Stallard, of Richmond; Dr. J. Fulmer Bright and Gordon B. Ambler, former Mayors of Richmond; Cecil S. Harris, member of the city council, and Guy B. Hazelgrove, Richmond attorney.

In formally submitting his resignation today to Speaker Rayburn, Satterfield said that he would remain in Congress until his successor has been selected in the Third Virginia Congressional District.

Satterfield was elected to the Seventy-sixth Congress on November 2, 1937, to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Andrew J. Montague. He has served seven years and had been elected to another two-year-term beginning next January 3.

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Cigarette Prospects

Whenever shortages of nonrationed commodities develop, hoarding increases and black market operations become more flagrant. That has happened as a result of the cigarette shortage. But, as in other instances, the hoarders and the black market operators are not responsible for the shortages; they merely exploit shortages for their own selfish purposes, and in so doing, of course, accelerate the depletion of supplies offered for sale through legitimate trade channels.

The major cause of the cigarette shortage is simply that there are fewer cigarettes than are needed to satisfy the demands of smokers. To be sure, judged by the standards of prewar years, there should be an actual surplus of cigarettes, because the 1944 output is running at record levels. Even if we subtract from the estimated total output for this year all cigarette shipments overseas, we shall have left for domestic consumption 241 billion cigarettes—or 23 billion more than the entire cigarette output of 1941. However, these comparisons are outmoded, since the public, which has plenty of cash on hand, has been stepping up consumption steadily since the outbreak of the war. Shipments abroad have also been expanding rapidly, with the result that supplies available for domestic consumption had dropped well below 1943 levels by last July, and there has been no subsequent improvement in the situation. Shortages of well-known brands have been more acute than the over-all shortages, moreover, since a larger than average proportion of well advertised brands are going overseas.

The question that remains to be answered is why the cigarette manufacturers have not increased their output more rapidly in order to catch up with the runaway demand. The War Manpower Commission states that shortages are not attributable to any lack of manpower, and the official verdict is that there is no lack of raw materials. However, cigarette manufacturers challenge the latter statement, alleging that they are handicapped by shortages of leaf tobacco. Furthermore, they protest that those shortages are going to get worse unless crop-control restrictions applicable to tobacco are liberalized. Leaf tobacco inventories in manufacturers' hands are reported to be increasingly inadequate in relation to their expanding requirements. Since tobacco has to be held a long time in order to be properly cured, the outlook for the future is none too good, even if a bumper crop of cigarette types of tobacco should be grown in the coming year.

From present indications, the cigarette shortage is going to be with us for some time. It may be alleviated in various ways: people will probably decide to smoke less and make their cigarettes last longer. They may become less receptive to offers from profiteers and that, too, will relieve the supply situation. Informal rationing of cigarettes by retail dealers will also assist equitable distribution and discourage hoarders. Official rationing, on the other hand, would present almost insuperable enforcement difficulties, and even as a last resort is hardly to be recommended.

Polish Regime

The new Polish cabinet formed at London has not yet begun to function, but already it has two strikes on it. In the first place, it lacks the support which the regime of Wladislaw Mikolajczyk commanded. The Peasant Party, Poland's largest and strongest political group, is boycotting the new regime. Indeed, Premier Tomasz Arciszewski is not altogether sure of the full support of his own party, the Socialists. Some of the Socialist leaders have refused to take posts in the government. In the second place, the Arciszewski regime begins under the heavy handicap of Russian suspicion as to its membership.

It is true that in his opening declaration Premier Arciszewski pledged himself to "spare no effort to bring about a lasting understanding between the Polish Republic and her great eastern neighbor." But since Mikolajczyk had been forced to resign because, in the view of some of his colleagues and particularly President Raczkiewicz, he had shown too great a friendliness toward the Soviet Union and too strong a disposition to compromise on the frontier question, the Kremlin is likely to assume, not unreasonably, that the new Polish government will be more intransigeant on that issue than was its predecessor.

Under the circumstances there seems to be little likelihood that the Russian-Polish deadlock will be broken. In fact, the gloomy view taken of the cabinet changes in London suggests that this deadlock will now be intensified. This is tragic. A settlement of the Russian-Polish problem is not only to the interests of Russia and Poland but to the interests of all the United Nations as well.

War Powers

The House followed a middle course in amending and renewing the Second War Powers Act. It rejected Representative Gwynne's proposal which would have required the WPB and other war agencies to go into court to enforce their orders allocating scarce materials. Apparently this type of enforcement was the original intent of Congress, for it provided injunctions and criminal penalties for violation of rationing and allocation orders. But Congress also gave the President power to allocate scarce materials essential for war use "in such manner, upon such conditions, and to such an extent as he shall deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense." Under this broad grant of power the WPB and other agencies set up so-called "courts" of their own to enforce their orders by denial of scarce materials to violators. The Supreme Court upheld this practice, and Congress later approved it, with some modifications, in extending the Price Control Act. Now the House has written the same policy into the Second War Powers Act.

The one significant amendment that was adopted would give an aggrieved person the right to seek injunctive relief when his supply of scarce materials is cut off for alleged violation of an administrative order. In other words, a man put out of business by the WPB for failure to obey one of its rules would be entitled to his day in court. Some members of the House said that this right already exists, but the majority insisted, quite properly we think, on making it specific. The House Judiciary Committee had gone over the matter carefully with spokesmen for the Army, Navy and WPB and they found no objection to this amendment.

Some opposition developed on the floor, but it seemed to be based on a misconception of the Judiciary Committee's proposal. Representative Cochran expressed fear that court injunctions under the amendment might interfere with cutbacks in civilian production if war requirements of certain materials should be increased in the future. But the amendment raises no such danger, as Chairman Sumners of the Judiciary Committee and others explained. It would not provide injunctive relief to anyone denied an allocation of scarce material any more than it would interfere with cutting down allocations when and if the need should arise. Only when a person has an allocation and it is suspended for alleged violation of an administrative rule or order would he be entitled to ask the district court in his home town for an injunction. And of course the injunction would be granted only if the court should find that the agency in question had acted in an arbitrary or capricious manner.

It cannot reasonably be said, therefore, that the House has restricted the war powers previously granted. Rather, it has set up a mild safeguard against abuse of those powers. The Senate may well follow this example.

Curbing Caesar

A bill aimed at limiting the sweeping powers of labor's music dictator, James Caesar Petrillo, is about to be reported to the Senate. But it is only a pinprick. The measure, sponsored by Senator Vandenberg, prohibits interference with the broadcasting of noncommercial cultural or educational programs presented by an academically accredited and tax-exempt educational institution, provided the programs are broadcast absolutely free of charge. We don't anticipate that Mr. Petrillo will feel too distressed by this timid challenge to his comprehensive authority.

Passage of the Vandenberg bill would make it unlawful for Mr. Petrillo to ban free broadcasting by the high school orchestra of Interlochen, Mich., as he did two years ago. But it would not prohibit the banning of broadcasts by philanthropically inclined or publicity-seeking amateurs. It is against these amateurs that Mr. Petrillo has directed his spleen. Amateurs and soldier-musicians alike are in bad odor with Mr. Petrillo, because he believes that their unpaid activities decrease the demand for the services of union musicians. Following his severely logical reasoning, the time may eventually come when Mr. Petrillo will order removal of musical instruments from the home on the ground that they offer unfair competition to the broadcast programs of his union musicians. However, if the Vandenberg bill is enacted, high school students will be at liberty to assail the ears of radio listeners, and Mr. Petrillo will be restrained to a very limited extent from interfering with strictly free airborne cultural and educational musical programs.

In our opinion it would be better not to legislate at all until Congress is prepared to deal with the major abuses of union leadership exemplified by Mr. Petrillo's extreme demands. Moreover, corrective legislation should not be aimed at Mr. Petrillo exclusively or specifically. He has operated within the law in his successful campaign to impose his will upon the world of commercialized music. Maybe he is a little more colorful and more antisocial than some of his fellow labor leaders. Undoubtedly he has done pioneer work in proving how easy it is under existing law to hold up employers and compel them to subsidize union treasuries under the guise of making contributions to union unemployment funds. But he is only one of the many union officials who know how to apply pressure tactics in disregard of the public's rights without coming into conflict with our inadequate labor laws.

We are not worried nearly so much by what Mr. Petrillo has done or may do within his own domain as by the bad example he has set for others. What we need is general legislation aimed at suppression of the kind of antisocial union practices for which Mr. Petrillo stands. The emancipation of high school bands from union decrees disbarring broadcasting would still leave Mr. Petrillo free to pursue his major ends, and would impose no restraints at all upon the exactions of like-minded labor czars.

Information, Please

Mr. Sumner Welles' observation that if the Government would take the bother to explain its foreign policies to us we might be able to understand them is such a perfect example of a truism that we shall be mildly surprised if the professors of rhetoric do not cite it hereafter in their textbooks. The same might be said about his observation that our foreign policy is a matter that closely concerns the lives and destinies of all of us.

Yet the mere fact that Mr. Welles has been at pains to stress these seemingly self-evident truths testifies that the public is desperately eager for information, and also that information is not forthcoming. Very few Americans have been able to guess the precise directions in which their country is being guided in foreign affairs, though the amount of thought devoted by Americans of all classes to our relationships with the rest of the world is now greater than at any time in our history. And this, of course, is a most encouraging phenomenon, since the former apathy has certainly been responsible for much of the muddle and confusion which has for so long attended the conduct of our foreign affairs. In the last analysis, it is the people, rather than statesmen or diplomatists, who should determine what foreign policies should be.

It is another truism, perhaps, to say that intelligent discussions of foreign policies and intelligent decisions concerning them are impossible unless the people are kept well informed of what is happening and of what is planned. The truth that no democratic government can continue to function in either the domestic or the foreign sphere if its people are not well informed on all political matters was not, as might be concluded from Mr. Welles' quotation, the special discovery of the late Newton D. Baker; it was thoroughly recognized by Jefferson. Jefferson, however, placed his hopes in popular education, assuming that information would remain available to all who were able to read. He could not foresee that a time would come when, with the sources of information centralized and controlled, and important information suppressed, popular literacy could become as much a means of confusion or deception as of enlightenment.

Albert B. Fall

Once a power in the land, Albert B. Fall passed most of his declining years in a veterans' hospital; his principal source of income was a pension granted to him for service in the Spanish-American War. So complete was his obscurity that to many the news of his death must have come as a surprising reminder that he had still been alive in these recent years. He is recalled now chiefly as one of the prototypes of an era in which American politics sank to their lowest level.

Albert Fall was not himself a member of "the Ohio gang" which disgraced the Administration of Warren G. Harding. Nor does he deserve to be catalogued among those professional scoundrels who were habitues of the little house on K st. He was a self-made man in a period when we had apotheosized material success. Getting ahead was next to godliness. And the canons of conduct for this sort of progress were nowhere rigidly circumscribed. The disillusionment which followed the World War produced a debasement of values by no means confined to, though most flagrantly manifested in, our political life.

At the pinnacle of his career, as Secretary of the Interior, Albert Fall did only the sort of thing that was being done by colleagues all around him. It is mildly ironic that his name now is almost always associated with Teapot Dome. Yet Harry Sinclair, who had leased the Teapot Dome reserve through Fall, was acquitted of charges of conspiring to defraud the Government. The charge upon which Mr. Fall was finally convicted and sentenced to prison in 1929 was that he had accepted a $100,000 bribe to lease the Elks Hills oil reserve to Edward L. Doheny. He never acknowledged culpability. Perhaps he never felt it. The $100,000, he said, was merely a loan from an old friend. Apparently, by the standards of his time, this would have excused him. We can but hope that the dead past will be buried with the dead.

UNICORN

With what egregious fodder would you lure
The delicate, the wayward unicorn,
With what chaste halter capture and secure
The antic hooves, the cryptic, spiral horn?
Not Hesperidian apples will entice,
Nor oats, however luscious, charm the creature:
Even ethereal bonds will not suffice
To curb his mettlesome and furtive nature.

Seek not nor shun him, being well content
To cultivate such qualities of heart
As magnify plain virtue: so be free . . .
And if by chance, walking the way he went,
You come upon him unawares, depart
Indifferent, intractable as he.

FRANCES HIGGINSON SAVAGE.

Good Neighbors

By Virginia Prewett

Hull And L. A.

IN REVIEWING, however briefly, the great contribution our retiring Secretary of State has made to this Nation during a lifetime of public service, his achievements in the field of Latin-American relations must be underscored.

It is a curious paradox—one that is righting itself—that Cordell Hull has never received the full credit due him for what he has done in this particular field of our foreign relations. Several reasons account for this. Secretary Hull has always preferred to get results by putting other people in the limelight rather than seeking it himself. His record on this goes back to his early days in Congress.

Next, when the really tough work in Latin-American relations was being done, from 1933 through 1938, the American public wasn't very interested in foreign affairs. When war threats to our "soft underside" brought the Good Neighbor policy sharply to public attention, Mr. Hull had to delegate his Undersecretary, Sumner Welles, to attend inter-American meetings. Mr. Welles had a flair for the press. It was along about this time, when the essential Good Neighbor structure had already been built and we were cashing in on it, so to speak, that a legend crediting Mr. Welles as architect began to circulate.

The truth is, of course, that a change in our force tactics in Latin America had been in the air for years before it came. Latin America had been demanding it insistently. Reuben Clark, while Undersecretary in 1928, wrote a significant study on the subject. Stimson, under Hoover, modified our policy of sending the Marines into Caribbean countries at the drop of a hat.

Latin American opposition was becoming strong and vocal all through the 1920's. When our high tariff laws cut their throats economically in 1930-32, their antagonism grew bitter.

New Foreign Policy

President Roosevelt announced a new foreign policy for the United States in his first inaugural. But when Cordell Hull went to the Pan American meeting at Montevideo late in 1933 he walked into the most hostile atmosphere that any American diplomat has ever faced. It was at this point that his personal diplomacy and his grasp of the fundamentals of U. S. Latin American relations turned the whole course of New World history.

First of all, he paid informal calls on all the delegates at their hotel rooms before the conference opened and told them the United States wanted to work things out. This changed the picture overnight.

Next, he suggested that Argentina, which was having good success in an attempt to form a Latin-American conference system around the Saavedra Lamas Peace Pact, should offer this pact as a Pan American agreement. He kept Saavedra Lamas in the limelight, brought the Argentine delegation around and stopped the Argentine-led bolt.

Most important of all, he grasped the fact that the United States had to lay cooperation on the line in economic relations. Latin America was no longer willing to "talk" Pan Americanism and we had to put up or shut up. On his own initiative, Secretary Hull offered the trade agreements as a truce in the tariff war then raging. This clinched the success of the meeting and laid the foundation for future political cooperation.

Secretary Hull personally paved the way for the success of the Conference for the Maintenance of Peace at Buenos Aires in 1936, where "hemisphere solidarity" was first pledged. He did this by refusing the Nobel Peace Prize, with the suggestion that Argentine Foreign Minister Saavedra Lamas should have it. With the prize in his pocket Saavedra Lamas joined with Hull and Roosevelt in leading a Pan-American love - feast in which the coming World War was talked of and prepared for.

Secretary Hull once more stopped an Argentine bolt at the meeting at Lima in 1938 and came home with the strongest declaration of unity that any group of nations has made.

Diplomatic Defeat

It is a matter of regret to all students of Latin-American affairs that he could not go to the meeting at Rio de Janeiro in 1942. Everything seemed to point toward success for that conference. Even the Argentines seemed in a softened mood. Yet they were mishandled and the United States suffered the worst diplomatic defeat in recent history. Way was paved there for today's difficult Argentine situation.

Secretary Hull did not relinquish his patient labor on inter-American cooperation after war came. Some of his most important work has been keeping the Latin-Americans abreast of developments on the peace structure this fall. This has been a delicate and difficult task, done quietly and without fanfare. Yet the value of it in inter-American relations cannot be overestimated.

The battle for Latin America after the early 1930's was a major struggle in the Axis drive for world domination. The prize was Latin America's support in war. This battle was won by American diplomacy hands down. Secretary Hull's role in it is one of the most outstanding chapters in the history of our Nation.

The Peace Issue

By Barnet Nover

Dumbarton Oaks Is Not Enough

IF PRESENT sentiment is any guide, the Administration should have no trouble in getting the required two-thirds of the Senate to approve America's entry into the kind of an international security organization which the Dumbarton Oaks conference envisaged.

Much will depend, of course, on what happens at the forthcoming meeting of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin, which is to be followed in due course by a conference at which all the United Nations are to be represented. These conferences may result in certain modifications and expansions of the Dumbarton Oaks formula.

The indications are, however, that there will be no substantial modification of the basic Dumbarton Oaks plan, hence that the present large measure of support which that plan has in the Senate will remain substantially what it is. Individual Senators may have doubts regarding this or that item in the completed agreement. But these doubts are likely to be offset by the feeling that the United States cannot afford to remain aloof from any feasible attempt to consolidate the peace and prevent aggression.

STRANGELY enough, it is for this very reason that some Senators who are friendly to Dumbarton Oaks are opposed to the plan to amend the Constitution by eliminating the present provision requiring treaties to be ratified by a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

The argument is that such a constitutional change, requiring as it would the approval of two-thirds of both houses of Congress and three-fourths of the States, would take too long to put through to have any bearing on the peace-treaty vote. It might, however, through the injection into the peace-treaty debate of an extraneous issue, create, it is said, unnecessary complications and conflicts that might imperil such a treaty.

SUCH AN ARGUMENT, however, rests on the assumption that once the United States has become a member of the international security organization planned for at Dumbarton Oaks all obstacles to our wholehearted participation in world affairs will have been removed.

Actually nothing could be further from the truth. The international organization envisaged at Dumbarton Oaks is not a many-chambered edifice with each room ready for occupancy but merely the foundation, the framework and the roof of such a structure. It is true that we must first build the house of peace before we can live in it. But after it has been built we must furnish and equip it and use it.

It is in this connection that the question of the two-thirds provision regarding Senate treaty ratification becomes a very live issue, indeed.

AFTER GERMANY and Japan have been defeated neither one of them will be able, for at least a decade and probably very much longer, to take the path of aggression.

Barring the unlikely possibility that any other nation will try to follow the costly example they have set, this means that there may be no major occasion, during the 10, 15 or 25 years after the war, for the United Nations organization to set in motion its peace-enforcement machinery.

When such an occasion will arise, however, the capacity and willingness of the Big Three or the Big Five to use that machinery will depend not so much on the provisions of the final Dumbarton Oaks plan, but on whether or not, in the meantime, habits of cooperation have been built up among the United Nations.

ON THIS POINT excessive optimism is hardly in order.

Judging by what is happening to the statesmanlike and constructive Anglo-American oil agreement (it may never get out of committee, let alone be approved on the floor of the Senate) it does not appear that there will be the same overwhelming Senate majority for specific proposals in the realm of international cooperation as for Dumbarton Oaks.

Oil is only one subject upon which postwar cooperation between America and her partners will be needed. There are also such matters as those dealt with at the Bretton Woods monetary conference, at the Chicago air conference, at the Hot Springs food conference. On such matters and others of equal pertinence for the postwar era the will of the American people to pursue a policy of international cooperation will continue to be at the mercy of a small minority in the Senate.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Strikes At Home

The letter published on November 29 on wartime strikers and written by "Naval Officer" is perhaps the best illustration of the postwar clash that is developing between servicemen and those who have remained at home to build the everyday life of a great Nation.

To my mind the very grave danger that lies ahead is well expressed in the statement of the "Naval Officer" when he says of the telephone girls on strike: "I do not know why they were striking. I don't want to know."

It is this ignorance and blind prejudice that hold the seeds of discord for the future. It is difficult to understand why any intelligent American, in service or on the picket line, would make such a statement.

As a former naval officer who has been retired for injuries received in combat during the first five months at Guadalcanal, I should like to answer a few points raised by "Naval Officer."

The first point is that raised above—if ignorance, abetted by refusal to examine grave issues, is the prerogative of a United States citizen there can be no hope that national or international responsibilities that lie ahead ever will be met intelligently.

Second, "Naval Officer" states—and correctly—that it is impossible for civilians to appreciate what life on the battlefront is like. However, very few servicemen have any real appreciation of what life is like here at home under wartime conditions of long hours, frantic haste, unpleasant and crowded living conditions. He asserts that the telephone girls are "living in safety and luxury." He does not reveal how a girl can live in luxury on a wage of from $25 to $32 a week (nor does he report that he receives almost this much at a shore station for his living expenses—above and beyond his actual pay).

Third, "Naval Officer" says that these girls are "killing my friends overseas." This statement is, of course, ridiculous, for throughout the strike telephone calls essential to the war efforts were put through by the strikers. But then, we must remember that "Naval Officer" is not interested in the facts behind the strike itself.

Fourth, "Naval Officer," despite his omniscience, does not understand that the fight overseas is part of the same fight that is going on at home—the continuing battle for a better way of life.

ANOTHER OFFICER.
Washington, Nov. 30.

Who's Dizzy Now?

Convey to your editorial writer the thanks of one constant reader. If after this morning we Washingtonians remain confused as to the "Crises in Canada" it is because we jump from the front-page headlines to the funnies, or maybe when we take down our Century Dictionaries we skip the $64 words and just "look at the pitchers." It is flattering to have The Post set us straight on this Canada business in nice simple words of five syllables. Few of us suspected that at the bottom of the business was a "curious cultural dichotomy." Also we were blissfully innocent of the fact that "the dichotomy is more than a matter of language and religion" but "also a matter of psychology." It was reassuring to learn that "sectionalism, local particularism and separatism" is tending toward the horizontal rather than the vertical, in Canada. That explains it. By the time we reached this point in the editorial we were getting dizzy. We feared it was something we had et. Anyhow your scribe sure does sling a mean gob of ink once he sets his hand to it. DWIGHT T. SCOTT.
Washington, Nov. 30.

Littell Case

"It is unthinkable to me that Mr. Littell can be forced out of his position," said Representative Voorhis the other day. If Littell is forced out of his position it will be the fault of the members of Congress and no one else. If they cannot help retain in our executive branch one of the most fearless, loyal and able servants, then it is time we elected to the Senate and the House men and women with greater vision, with more courage and more appreciation of valuable men in the Government service. This forcing out of the Government men of vision and initiative is nothing new. It has happened too often, and it is high-time that a halt be called by the people's representatives.

Norman Littell must remain in the Government and if Attorney General Biddle can't work with him, then he should resign and let Littell become the Attorney General. He is far more equipped to hold that post than the present incumbent. A READER.
Washington, Nov. 28.

Majority Of Voters

Let us give Secretary Ickes the credit of stating his own, sincere convictions in his constant complaint that while the majority of newspapers supported Dewey in the campaign, a majority of voters (not a large majority, but a majority nonetheless) supported Roosevelt. His failure in logical thinking is shown in his words "newspapers . . . pulling for one policy and the skeptical readers pulling the other way . . ."

He assumes, apparently, that the majority (ever so slim) of voters must be right. That is, they are right when they are thinking like Mr. Ickes. Of course they were not right in those days when he was backing losers!

It is open to serious question whether the majority of voters always decide rightly. In the light of history, the majority of voters were probably wrong when they voted for Warren G. Harding.

REAL LIBERAL.
Washington, Nov. 28.

Fascist Line

By Paul Winkler

S. S. Plans Nazintern

THE SPACE of time which remains to the leaders of Germany is clearly measured on a short-range scale. The amount of long-range planning they are doing today seems, therefore, to be explicable. But the answer appears to be that Nazi planning today is not tied up exclusively with the fate of the German nation. Only a few months ago we began to glimpse a plan for German fascism to go underground. That project has now expanded in scope. It is international fascism which is diving underground now.

Heinrich Himmler, rather than Adolf Hitler, looks today like the man who is making the decisions as to the direction in which Germany shall go. And Himmler has apparently thrown the old nationalistic terminology overboard and has transformed himself into an internationalist of sorts.

Surface indications of this new orientation are to be found in the incorporation into the SS of foreign units from all the satellite countries and the enlistment, even after their usefulness might seem to be ended, of the continued services of collaborationists from the occupied and formerly occupied countries. Plans are being drawn up to convert the entire SS into an international organization, endow it it with a nonnationalistic doctrine, and to send it underground on a world-wide, not simply a national, scale.

The Swedish pro-Nazi daily, the Dagposten, published on November 21 a report by a certain Rasmussen, just back from Germany, which stated that Himmler is now promoting an entirely new mysticism, breaking away from the Herrenvolk doctrine of Teutonic racial supremacy in order to admit other peoples to the newly conceived Nazi International—which we might call the Nazintern. Rasmussen noticed particular indications of this changed attitude in the viewpoint adopted towards "Balkan and Eastern peoples," and added that Himmler was particularly eager to find recruits for his new program among "patriotic Poles and Serbs."

Nazi Self-Criticism

An article in the November 16 issue of Das Schwarze Korps, the official SS paper, is extremely revealing. Under the title "Must We Give Up Europe?" it adopts a tone of self-examination beginning with the admission that Nazism did not find support in other countries among the traditional leaders—the intellectual elite—and among the workers and peasants, but chiefly in certain middle class groups. The reason for this, the paper reported, was that these classes were addressed in terms which were "not understood" by all of them—terms of "patriotic phraseology." This undoubtedly refers to the ultra nationalistic doctrines of the collaborationists of the different occupied and satellite countries.

"We were not radical enough," Das Schwarze Korps continued, "in discovering those expressions which would have opened the hearts of the workers and peasants. Perhaps we were misled by those persons who were convinced of the justice of their claim to exercise political leadership." Indeed, these groups have already lost their leadership and the ideology has become obsolete. "Bourgeois patriotism, which interpreted the European new order merely as the restoration of its privileges, has nothing in common with the principles of National Socialist revolution, nor with its final results."

The Significance

What does this typical piece of Teutonic obfuscation mean? Without the illumination of our knowledge of the surrounding tendency to move from nationalism to internationalism, it might be difficult to understand it. But seen from that viewpoint, it immediately becomes clear. The alliance with the bourgeois nationalists of the various countries is to be abandoned in the hope of saving the antidemocratic totalitarian philosophy by attaching it to an international movement, designed after Germany's defeat to bore from within in every country of the globe, including the victorious democracies.

This solution for the bankruptcy of Nazism is held up by Das Schwarze Korps as a ray of hope in contrast with the generally melancholy tone of the rest of the article. It is proposed that all efforts should be concentrated "upon the building up of an international SS, provided with much of the original revolutionary terminology of Nazism."

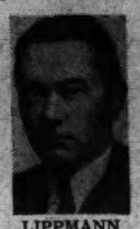
Perhaps the German Nazis, acting upon their docile obedient people, can get results with semantic acrobatics like this, but what success can be expected for the Darnands, Deats, Degrelles, Musserts, Tisos and Szalasis if they try to go underground—and lead anyone with them?

Today and Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Report From France

SOME MONTHS AGO I heard a story about General de Gaulle and an American diplomatic officer which has helped me to understand much better what I saw and heard in France. The diplomat was telling the general what the French were going to do after they were liberated, and the general was disagreeing with him.



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"But," protested the diplomat, "I am sure I am right. I know France well—I lived there thirteen years."

"Ah," said the general, "you forget that I have lived in France two thousand years."

This convinced the diplomat not only that General de Gaulle is an extremely difficult man to get on with but that he has the grandiose idea of identifying himself with his country.

But in fact this is the secret of his extraordinary power as it is of Winston Churchill's—that like Churchill he feels the historic destiny of his people and therefore he knows what in the end they rsepond to and will do. Ordinary politicians who practice what might be called Gallup poll democracy find such a man impossible to understand and exasperatingly difficult to get on with. For he disregards the appearance of things, the immediate preoccupations on the surface, the practical difficulties of the moment. Yet his prophecies come true.

IN JUNE 1940 General de Gaulle stated that while France had lost a battle she had not lost the war. Now he is stating that France is a great power and that nothing can be decided about the future of Europe, and indeed of the world, without her full agreement and participation. The astonishing thing is that events are vindicating his second prophecy as they have already vindicated his first. I say it is astonishing, though I do not myself doubt it at all, because by every ordinary criterion of national power France is very weak indeed. She has lost several million of her best men. The people who remain are suffering from the shock and tension of the German terror, and their vitality has been drawn down by years of undernourishment and privation and humiliation.

The structure of the French economy, on which the life of the Nation and the functions of government depend, has been twisted and distorted by the Germans, then sabotaged by the French patriots, then bombed and bombarded by the Allies, and systematically demolished and looted by the retreating Germans. What was left and could be repaired has had to be monopolized by the allied armies in order to carry on the war.

Yet in Europe France is already a great power in that no statesman who has any sense of realities would now think of making plans for the settlement with Germany and Italy or for the reconstruction of Europe, or for the general organization of peace, without seeking the full and equal agreement of the French government.

THE EXPLANATION of this paradox—that a country so powerless is yet so powerful—is that in General de Gaulle the French have found a leader who acts in the present on what he knows will happen in the future. I had come to Paris from London where I met a number of men who were making schemes, as other men are making them in Washington, for controlling Germany during the next ten or fifteen years. I found that in Paris someone had realized, and of course it was General de Gaulle himself, that all these schemes were designed to control Germany in the very years when Germany would be prostrate, and that the schemes would come to an end just about when Germany could again begin to be, if she ever is after this war, dangerous. I found then that the French government is basing its policy on the assumption that if theorists in Washington and London make what they imagine is a German settlement, there will necessarily be a second settlement—in which France will play the leading part in the west—a few years hence.

Those who have grasped this, and no doubt they include Mr. Churchill and Mr. Eden, are therefore making up their minds that the only way to have the first German settlement be the real settlement is to start all over again by including the French government at the beginning.

A LESSER MAN would not have begun as General de Gaulle has begun by insisting on restoring the greatness of France before his people had enough coal to heat their houses. He would have struggled with the economic difficulties of France. But De Gaulle, knowing that the economic problem is insoluble until the war is finished, lets his ministers struggle to find what palliatives they can. He knows, and events will surely prove him right, that a France which concludes the war as one of the victorious great powers will have both the material means and the spirit to repair the devastation—but that a France which ends the war as a client of Great Britain or the United States will get too little help from them and will have lost the capacity to help herself.

I WISH I could report that the tragic muddle of our official relations with France had been cleared up by the recognition of the Provisional Government. The fact is that it has not been, and the reason is, I think, that except for the Ambassador himself, the staff of the embassy in Paris is the same staff that so completely misjudged the French resistance when Admiral Leahy was at Vichy, and the significance of De Gaulle when Mr. Murphy was at Algiers. I do not wish to suggest for a moment that those men do not honestly and loyally wish the French government to succeed, now that we recognize it. I do mean to say that their records prevent them from making the kind of contact with France today which the staff of the embassy must have if the Ambassador is really to know what is going to happen, and if he is to give the Secretary of State and the President the information and guidance which they will need.

It was wise to choose as Ambassador a man who had never been entangled in the lamentable history of Vichy and Algiers. But it is a capital error not to staff the embassy with men who have no prejudices from the bad past, against whom Frenchmen hold no prejudices from the bad past.

THIS IS NOT an agreeable thing to report. But someone had to say what so many informed and responsible people in Paris know to be the truth. For we cannot afford to continue to misunderstand and to misjudge French policy if we are to make a workable settlement in Europe, and we shall misunderstand and misjudge it if we do not have an Embassy staff that is capable of foreseeing correctly what is going to happen.

Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"It's the only way I can keep him in the tub!"

Eastern Buys 14 Constellation Air Transports

By James V. Piersol
Post Aviation Editor

Eastern Air Lines yesterday announced purchase of 14 additional Lockheed transport planes for delivery as soon as military requirements permit.

The new planes are to be of the record-breaking Constellation type and will bring to more than 250 million dollars the orders recently placed by Eastern, United, TWA and other airlines for postwar expansion.

Previous Purchases

The Constellation will carry from 34 to 64 passengers, and will substantially reduce traveling time. The Washington-Miami hop, for example, may be cut from 7 to 3½ hours.

Eastern previously had announced the purchase of 10 commercial versions of the Army's Commando type from the Curtiss-Wright Corp. Bulk of the orders from all the lines purchasing new equipment was held by Douglas Aircraft Co., Curtiss and Lockheed. Several lines are contemplating a commercial prototype of the Boeing B-29 bomber.

Release Prices Tomorrow

Meanwhile the aviation division of the Surplus War Property Administration is expected to publish prices tomorrow of military transport planes to be released within the next few days.

Through the use of surplus military craft the airlines hope to tide over what the War Department has described as the "critical" need for "rapid transportation of essential personnel, mail and express," until the newly manufactured planes are available.

Million Yank Police Needed, Brooks Says

Paris, Dec. 1 (AP).—Congress must start immediate consideration at its next session of compulsory military training legislation to raise a peacetime army of one million men to help police Europe, Representative Overton Brooks (D., La.) said today.

He said this would permit men now overseas to return home.

Brooks arrived in Paris with 16 other members of the House Military Affairs Committee on their European trip to determine how the war effort was being conducted, what soldiers were thinking and what they needed.

Make Inspection of Ports

The committee came here after a first-hand inspection of methods of handling war materials in Cherbourg and other ports.

Brooks and Matt Merritt (D., N. Y.) said one of the pressing questions of GIs with whom they talked was what was going to happen to the soldiers in Europe after the war ended.

"They want to fight and win the war," Brooks said. "But when the war is over they want to go home. They wonder now whether they are going to have to do guard duty in Europe after the shooting ends."

Three Major Questions

Merritt said three of the leading problems outlined to him were: (1) A system of rotation for home leave and a system for demobilization; (2) The cigarette supply, and (3) What is going to happen to them after the war.

The Congressmen were tremendously impressed by the rehabilitation of Cherbourg and the system of handling supplies in order to get them speedily to the fighting fronts.

"The Army is doing a magnificent job, considering the handicaps," said Representative Clare Booth Luce (R., Conn.)

The committee members said they found the morale of troops high, cigarettes short, but the soldiers in these rear areas unprotesting since supplies were going to the front line.

Urges Women to Cut Smokes

Paris, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Representative Clare Booth Luce of Connecticutt, today urged American women to give up one cigarette daily towards alleviating the war-front shortage which she saw in evidence during her congressional party's tour of liberation beaches at Cherbourg and Le Havre. She said she has "cut out smoking in the morning."

10 Women of Area Join Wac, Get Training Orders

Ten women from the Washington area have enlisted in the Women's Army Corps and will get basic training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

To the Third Wac Training Center at Fort Oglethorpe will go Josephine S. Gorman, 1200 North Oak st., Arlington Va.; Rosemary G. Ricci, 507 Fontaine St., Alexandria, Va., and Betty M. Walker, 1727 Q st. nw. They will be attached to the Army Air Forces.

Mary E. Walsh, 627 Yuma st. se., will train for the Air Transport Command at the same camp. Slated for general assignment training are Joan Beadle, 3903 Windom pl. nw.; Lenore B. Earl, 1961 Biltmore st. nw.; Mary Celeste Hanley, 4909 Seventh st. ne., and Tobias E. Lebman, 4100 Illinois ave. nw.

Assigned for basic training at the First Wac Training Center, Fort Des Moines, are Julia V. Elliott, 324 Elm st. nw., and Bertha B. Wade, 4400 Douglas st. ne.

Army Ordnance is preparing motorcycles for overseas shipment at the rate of one machine every nine minutes.

Ford Produces 6,850 Liberators in 2 Years

Detroit, Dec. 1 (AP).—The Ford Motor Co. disclosed today that approximately 6850 giant four-engined Liberator bomber planes have been produced at the Ford-operated Willow Run bomber plant in the last two years.

Of the total nearly 4600 bombers have been produced in the last 12 months.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Canadian Draft Stirs Up A Tempest

FEW AMERICANS have realized that Canada has not had total conscription in the sense that we know it. A Canadian can be drafted by his government, but for home defense service only. He cannot be sent overseas unless he gives his written consent.

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Many Canadians voluntarily "go active," which is the term used for overseas service. Those who decline to fight outside Canada's boundaries are called derisively, "zombies."

Figures supplied by the Canadian Embassy show 750,000 Canadians in uniform—Army, Navy and Air Forces. Of this total, only about 60,000 are Zombies, according to the official figures. Of approximately 450,000 conscripted for the army, 390,000 signed up for overseas service.

This is the situation behind Canada's crisis. Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King would send 16,000 Zombies overseas as replacements for Canadian divisions seriously depleted in fighting on the Western Front.

The characteristic compromise has satisfied neither faction. The French-Canadians of Quebec, unalterably opposed to conscription, are furious. Advocates of all-out mobilization want to know why only 16,000; they insist that all zombies be made available for combat duty anywhere in the world.

THE UNHAPPY Prime Minister is caught between the devil and the deep blue sea. But he is a resourceful politician, in witness of which he has been chief of Canada's government for a grand total of 17 years. That calls for unparalleled political finesse, since Canada is a country divided by almost dual citizenship.

On Canada's currency you find two languages—French and English. On Canada's postage stamps you see two languages—French and English. Even Hansard, official record of the debates in the Canadian Parliament, is printed in both French and English.

The schism is deep and wide. Quebec is a world unto itself. No politician in French-speaking Quebec can favor conscription and survive.

Stories are told of draft notices sent to young men in wilderness hamlets in the Quebec forests. The postmaster or postmistress advises young Pierre to "run his trap line." For a month Pierre disappears in the deep woods. His local postoffice returns his draft notice to the War Ministry with the stamped notation "Unable to locate addressee."

FOR A LONG TIME rumors have come out of Canada of a mutiny reported to have taken place among French-Canadian zombies at Vancouver Island when a decision was reached to send home defense troops to help Americans assault the Jap-held Island of Kiska in the Aleutians. disturbances among troops in British Columbia—not mutiny, perhaps, but certainly close to it—would seem to lend color to these rumors.

The probability is that Mackenzie King's government will survive. He has been hard pressed by the left wing Cooperative Commonwealth Federation, which is trying to get on the popular side of the conscription issue by demanding the conscription of wealth and industry as well as men. The CCF has been registering sensational political gains in Ontario, Manitoba, British Columbia and other key provinces. But the conscription issue may not benefit the rising young CCF as much as it helps the Progressive - Conservatives, Canada's old-line party. The Progressive-Conservatives have long been demanding full conscription of the Dominion's manpower for overseas duty.

Basically, this grim controversy points up the fact that isolationism is far from dead in this hemisphere. Beneath the surface in both Canada and the United States lurks the old feeling that this continent should sever ties with Europe. It is a deep prejudice that not even the events of the past five years can entirely destroy.

Rites Set Today For R. P. Ross

Frederick, Md., Dec. 1. (Spl.)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon for Richard P. Ross, 71, prominent Frederick attorney, who died yesterday following a short illness of heart disease.

He was president of the Mt. Olivet Cemetery Association, a director of the Potomac Edison Company and for 32 years had been a member of the Board of Visitors of the Maryland State School for the Deaf. Mr. Ross was an enthusiastic fireman and was secretary of the Citizens' Truck Company. He was a member of All Saints Episcopal Church and was past exalted ruler of Frederick Lodge of B.P.O. Elks.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Blanche Bader Shriner Ross, and one son, Lieut. Col. Richard P. Ross, jr., U. S. Marine Corps in the southwest Pacific.

Senate Votes Billion-Dollar Flood Control

By the Associated Press

One of the biggest flood control authorizations on record passed the Senate today.

Projected as a job-creating program, it authorizes postwar construction to cost one billion dollars, spread over most of the country's great river basins. Actual appropriations are yet to come.

The bill now goes back to the House, then probably to a conference committee to reconcile differences between the versions approved by the two branches.

Immediately upon passage of the bill on a voice vote after nearly two weeks of heated debate, the Senate swung into consideration of a 500 million dollars rivers and harbors measure.

"Way to Provide Jobs"

Senator Overton (D., La.), floor manager of both measures, declared that flood control, reclamation, navigation and other projects in the authorizations offer one of the best ways to provide jobs after the war. He estimated that from 75 to 80 per cent of the huge sums will go for labor.

Passage of the flood-control bill came abruptly when Senator Murray (D., Mont.) agreed to sidetrack the proposal to place administration of its multimillion-dollar program for the Missouri Basin under a Missouri Valley Authority.

Democratic and Republican leaders dissuaded the persistent Murray from pressing for a vote on the MVA proposal which Overton said would imperial the flood-control legislation.

Separate Bill Action Assured

The leaders assured Murray of cooperation in getting action on the MVA plan in a separate bill in the new Congress.

Murray, who previously had indicated that he would talk indefinitely rather than give in, permitted a quick vote after propounding his reasons for advocating an MVA.

The House Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, meanwhile, approved a measure authorizing the Reclamation Bureau to go into a 200-million-dollar initial program for the Missouri Valley.

D. C. Area Educators Will Confer Tomorrow

A conference of educators from Washington and nearby States will be held tomorrow in George Washington University's Hall of Government, 21st and G sts. nw. The meeting will be one of a monthly series sponsored by the G. W. U. School of Education and the National Education Association.

The conference will discuss "How Other Cities Are Meeting Their Curriculum Problems" at the meeting scheduled for next month.

Senate Inquiry Ordered Into Indiana Voting

A congressional investigation of senatorial campaign expenditures in Indiana was ordered yesterday.

The Senate Campaign Expenditures Committee also arranged to look into complaints that many voters were forbidden to cast ballots in that State in the November 7 election.

Senator Stewart (D., Tenn.), was named chairman of the subcommittee to conduct the inquiry.

"Full Probe" Warranted

Chairman Green (D., R. I.), said preliminary reports indicated a "full investigation" was warranted.

Homer E. Capehart, Republican Senator-elect, himself had urged an inquiry into Democratic campaigns that his campaign involved excessive expenditures."

At the same time the committee marked officially "closed" its recent investigations of charges of election irregularities in Arkansas and 13 other States.

Chairman Green (D., R. I.) said investigations into various election matters would be continued in Minnesota, Missouri, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island and Washington.

Little Discovered in Arkansas

"In Arkansas, 375 ballot boxes were reopened, but we found no general evidence of fraud," said Green. "There were a few irregularities and informalities, but nothing to affect the result of the election."

The committee sent investigators into Arkansas after receiving complaints of various election irregularities and excessive expenditures in the senatorial campaign.

In Minesota, Green said, committee investigators will inquire into a charge by Fulton Lewis, radio commentator, that "various shipbuilding companies solicited funds from war contractors" for President Roosevelt's fourth term campaign.

Bank Accused of Politics

In Missouri, the committee will look into information supplied by the Department of Justice that a bank circulated literature "in the nature of political propaganda." The committee wanted to know, Green said, whether this violated the Corrupt Practices Act.

Green declined to reveal the nature of the New York and Washington investigations on the ground it might "prejudice the investigations."

In Rhode Island, he said, agents for the committee will attempt to trace authorship of some "very nasty" anonymous campaign literature opposing President Roosevelt's reelection on religious grounds.

The Gallup Poll

Compulsory Bond Buying Is Opposed by Majority

By George Gallup
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 1.—Nine out of ten Americans think that War Bonds represent a good investment, but a majority of the people in this country want to do their bond and stamp buying on a voluntary rather than a compulsory basis.

These are the facts which emerge from a survey taken by the Institute as the United States Treasury launched the Sixth War Loan Drive slated to run through December 16.

In connection with the attitude toward War Bonds as an investment, the Institute had field reporters all over the country ask this question:

"Do you believe that War Bonds are a good investment?"

The replies:

YES	91%
NO	5
UNDECIDED	4

Some observers point out that the difficulty which the Treasury has encountered in the sales of Series E bonds could be overcome by instituting a system of compulsory bond buying.

The public, however, is not ready to accept such a proposal, preferring to make its bond and stamp purchases on a voluntary basis.

This is shown by replies given to the following question:

"Should all people receiving wages, salary, or other income be required by law to put 10 cents out of every dollar of their income in War Savings Bonds and Stamps?"

YES	38%
NO	58
NO OPINION	4

Metz Battlefield 'Surgeon' Offered Medical Education

Cleveland, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—A 19-year-old "battlefield surgeon" who had courage to perform a delicate throat operation with a jackknife and a fountain pen top while under fire in France today was offered a complete postwar medical education by Western Reserve University.

The offer was made to Pvt. Duane N. Kinman of College Place, Wash., an Army medical aide man—by University President W. F. Leutner.

Dr. Leutner said that under the GI bill of rights Private Kinman—whose miraculous operation on the Metz battlefield saved a soldier's life—can complete premedical training and two years of advance study "and if he passes this successfully Western Reserve will see him through the rest of the course."

Private Kinman performed the battlefield surgery with medical information he picked up while receiving basic training in the States.

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"Is that daughter's young man in the icebox or merely a rat gnawing something in the basement?"

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Army 11-to-5 Favorite Over Navy Today

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Portrait of a fellow trying to pick the Army-Navy game winner: Takes another look at the records of the two teams and is struck by that 59-0 score Army rolled up against Notre Dame. Remembers that Notre Dame held Navy to 32-12 and wonders how anybody could be absurd enough to think Navy could beat Army. Suddenly recalls he had the same thought last year and the season before, and Navy won.

POVICH

Scans the defensive records of the two teams and discovers that Duke, Penn and Notre Dame averaged only 26 yards rushing in their games against Navy. Checks the same three teams against Army and sees where the same three teams averaged 86 yards rushing against the West Pointers. Decides that maybe Navy's line can stop Army, just before remembering that Boris DiMancheff, of Purdue, made Navy's right side look pretty soft.

Now turns to the offensive records. Notes that Army rolled up 145 points against Penn, Duke and Notre Dame in contrast to the 65 poits by Navy in those three games. Decides to give a big offensive edge to Army. Then discovers Army's gains in the three games totaled only 40 yards more than Navy's.

Now tempted to pick Navy, he cools at the recollection that the Middies were knocked off by North Carolina Pre-Flight and Georgia Tech, and decides to pick unbeaten Army, forthwith. Hesitates. Remembers that Navy has been improving every week since those defeats. And that Hal Hamberg is back with the team. Concedes that a Navy team with Hamberg is always dangerous.

Wonders how Navy is going to combat the speed of Davis, Kenna, Minor and Hall in the Army backfield, and the line-smashing of Blanchard. Has an idea that Army won't gain outside the Navy ends, where Bramlett, Martin and Hansen have done a great job all season. Doubts if it is going to be a free-scoring game despite the offensive-minded styles of the two teams. Has no idea which team he should pick.

Presumes Navy will start big Bob Jenkins and then replace him with Hamberg if and when the Navy coaches feel Jenkins' line smashing has softened Army up a bit. Suddenly recalls that the Notre Dame and Penn players picked Navy as a tougher team than Army, and decides that could be quite meaningless. Remembers it's wise always to string along with the team with the speed, and on that basis he likes Army.

Can't get away from the fact, though, that Navy hits awful hard, and he has seen fast teams slowed up. Remembers that Army's fast backs were slower each time they got up in last year's game at West Point. But they didn't have Blanchard to block for them then, or as a counterthreat to Navy's plunging game. Is no closer to a decision than when he commenced this job.

Decides he likes Army's pass defense a whole lot better than Navy's. Decides to check. Discovers that against three common opponents, West Point had far the better record. Of 53 aerials thrown against Army, only 16 were completed and 16 were intercepted. Navy yielded 33 pass completions in 76 attempts, and intercepted none. Concedes that Army is the more alert team.

Agrees that Army's T-Formation is a prettier thing to watch than Navy's single wing. And then wonders if that's really true. Recalls how Navy hoodwinked Notre Dame and Penn with those fake spinners and reverses that made it hard even for the customers to follow the ball. Doubts if the Army's Kenna is any slicker at hiding the ball than Scott of Navy.

Visions Army's passing attack as better than Navy's when Jenkins is throwing the ball instead of Hamburg. But likes Navy's Ben Martin better than any pass receiver on the Army team. Imagines the game is won by long runs, Army will be the winner. Almost on the point of picking Army.

Hesitates. Decides he'll wait it out. After all, don't be impatient. Dusk will tell the official story. At this point, the only certainty is the uncertainty of it all.

Official Charles Town Charts

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1944—BY WALTER HAIGHT.
WEATHER CLEAR, TRACK SLOW.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds; claiming. Start good. Off 1:33½. Owner, J. B. Hatfield. Time, 0:51⅘. Value, $425.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
LED ASTRAY	(Tammaro)	115	6	2	1hd	1½	1¹	$2.40
ARCH McDONALD	(Coucci)	116	7	1	2½	2³	2½	1.30
HIGH NORTH	(Lavoie)	111	4	4	4½	3½	3³	16.60
VALLEY DIRK	(Fitzgerald)	115	2	7	7	7¹	4¹	15.80
LOUIS L.	(Carrillo)	114	1	3	6²	6²	5½	29.60
KIMAR JOJAN	(Loop)	109	8	5	5¹	5½	6½	10.30
HEADLOCK	(Fiocchi)	105	3	6	3½	4¹	7⁹	6.50
BAD LADY	(Burgess)	110	5	8	8	8	8	55.40

LED ASTRAY, $6.80, $3.20, $4.40; ARCH McDONALD, $2.60, $2.40; HIGH NORTH, $5.40.

SECOND RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $700. For 3-year-olds up; claiming. Start good. Off 2:08. Owner, J. Paoli. Value, $525. Time, 1:26⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
NICK	(Fiocchi)	110	2	2	1½	1¹	1hd	1¹	$0.80
QUEEN'S WREATH	(Fitzgerald)	115	3	4	2³	2³	2³	2³ᵈ	7.80
SCOTCH BONNET	(Kirkpatrick)	112	4	3	3¹	3hd	3¹	3¹	1.80
CAULK FIELD	(Guyton)	112	1	1	4	4	4	4	9.00

NICK, $3.60, $2.80, out; QUEEN'S WREATH, $5.00, out; SCOTCH BONNET, out.

DAILY DOUBLE—LED ASTRAY AND NICK—PAID $19.20.

THIRD RACE—About 7 furlongs. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds up; claiming. Start good. Off 2:30½. Owner, Mrs. M. Nnierion. Value, $425. Time, 1:29⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BIG SNEEZE	(Tammaro)	118	5	5	3hd	2½	2¹	1hd	1¹	$2.40
CELTIC LEGEND	(Fiocchi)	110	2	2	1½	1½	1½	2¹	2½	16.80
JACK WILSON	(Carrillo)	118	1	4	5¹	4½	3½	3¹	3¹	21.30
GREAT PLAY	(Kelly)	118	3	1	2¹	3½	3¹	4³	4³	11.50
MISS VEP	(Fitzgerald)	115	7	6	6½	6²	6½	5²	5⁴	24.50
HAZEMONT	(Burgess)	110	4	3	4½	5²	5½	6²	6³	5.60
MAROC	(Lavoie)	113	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	55.00

BIG SNEEZE, $6.80, $4.20, $3.00; CELTIC LEGEND, $11.00, $6.60; JACK WILSON, $11.20.

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $700. For 3-year-olds up; claiming. Start good. Off 2:56½. Owner, R. B. Sanner, jr. Value, $525. Time, 1:24⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ROUNCO	(Matral)	115	2	3	1²	1²	1½	1½	$43.90
EXPLOIT	(Kelly)	118	3	2	3¹	3¹	2¹	2¹	2.40
PATCH PARTY	(Tammaro)	116	1	1	2hd	2½	3hd	3¹⁰	1.70
ALICE DODGE	(Franklin)	111	5	5	5	5	4½	4⁸	5.30
LIGHTFOOT LEE	(Kirkpatrick)	117	4	4	4¹	4³	5	5	8.40

ROUNCO, $89.80, $15.60, $6.20; EXPLOIT, $5.40, $3.80; PATCH PARTY, $5.00.

FIFTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $800. For 4-year-olds up; allowances. Start good. Off 3:21. Owner, W. Keegan. Value, $600. Time, 1:22⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
TED O.	(Loop)	116	3	6	4¹	2²	2¹	1hd	1hd	$2.20
FRANCE ON	(Fitzgerald)	116	2	2	1½	1½	1ak	2¹	2¹	36.40
MAD BUNNY	(Fiocchi)	106	5	1	5½	4½	3ak	3¹	3ns	6.50
EDASEL	(Tammaro)	117	4	3	3½	5²	5¹	5²	4¹	2.30
DON ORLAN	(Carrillo)	118	6	5	6¹	6¹	6¹	6¹	5½	18.50
HOWYN LEROY	(Rosetti)	120	1	4	2½	3½	4½	4¹	6²³	2.60
GRANDMA RAY	(Kirkpatrick)	113	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	72.00

TED O., $6.40, $4.40, $3.80; FRANCE ON, $29.40, $13.60; MAD BUNNY, $5.00.

SIXTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $800. For 3-year-olds up; allowances. Start good. Off 3:45. Owner, Mrs. Guy Needy. Value, $600. Time, 1:18⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
RAMPAGE	(Fiocchi)	111	6	2	3²	3²	3½	1ns		$3.70
PETES BET	(Tammaro)	118	1	3	2½	1ak	2½	2ns		.70
BOY LARKMEAD	(Kelly)	118	4	1	1½	2¹	1½	3¹		4.60
CART OUT	(Loop)	113	5	4	4³	4⁴	4⁸	4⁹		9.70
UNCLE BUCK	(Morris)	117	2	5	5⁴	5⁵	5¹⁰	5¹⁰		43.60
HIBLAZE	(Carrillo)	114	3	6	6	6	6	6		32.00

RAMPAGE, $9.40, $3.00, $2.20; PETES BET, $2.20, $2.20; BOY LARKMEAD, $2.40.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $700. For 4-year-olds up; claiming. Start good. Off 4:17. Owner, G. A. Sapportas. Value, $525. Time, 1:54⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BARDY	(Fitzgerald)	115	6	4	2³	1½	1½	1¹	$19.80
TWO WAYS	(Loop)	108	2	1	1¹	1¹	2¹	2½	4.10
BARGAIN BOY	(Dufford)	113	1	1	4¹	4½	4¹	3¹	4.40
CLARIE WHIZ	(Burgess)	110	3	3	2³	3¹	3¹	4¹	6.90
MANGO	(Lavoie)	111	4	5	5³	5¹	4½	5½	1.30
WHO REIGH	(Morris)	117	7	8	8	7⁴	7	6³	39.60
ALSACE	(Tammaro)	115	8	7	7¹	6³	6½	7	25.80
GROUCHY	(Guyton)	110	5	6	6³	8	8		14.90

†Pulled up.

BARDY, $41.60, $18.60, $5.80; TWO WAYS, $6.60, $4.00; BARGAI BOY, $4.40.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $700. For 4-year-olds up; claiming. Start good. Off 4:46½. Owner, W. B. Hardesty. Value, $525. Time, 2:00⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BALLOTER	(Guyton)	115	1	3	3¹	2³	2³	1hd	$6.80
MAGIC WINNIE	(Lavoie)	111	2	1	1²	1hd	1½	2³	28.50
ROUGH AMOS	(Kelly)	119	3	2	2³	3⁴	3³	3³	1.30
BELCLAFFEN	(Loop)	114	7	8	6½	6³	6³	4¹	7.10
MALAMDRINO	(Burgess)	110	5	5	7	7	7	5¹	3.90
STABLE	(Fitzgerald)	116	4	4	4½	5²	5½	5¹	6³	7.10
DUKE REED	(Fiocchi)	110	6	7	5⁴	4⁴	4½	6³	7	10.40

BALLOTER, $15.60, $8.40, $3.60; MAGIC WINNIE, $18.80, $6.00; ROUGH AMOS, $2.60.

Facts and Figures On Service Game

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—Facts and figures on Army-Navy football game:

Date—Saturday, December 2, 1944.

Site—Baltimore Municipal Stadium.

Time of kickoff—2 p. m., Eastern War Time.

Game—Forty-fifth since 1890.

Standing of series—Army won 22, Navy won 19, three tied.

1943 score—Navy, 13; Army, 0.

Army's latest victory, 1938—Army, 14; Navy, 7.

Navy won five straight, 1939-1943.

Army head coach—Col. Earl (Red) Blaik.

Navy head coach—Comdr. Oscar E. Hagberg.

Officials: Referee—T. A. Timlin (Niagara). Umpire—F. S. Borgin (Princeton). Linesman—W. H. Chrenberger (Boston College). Field Judge—F. R. Wallace (Washington).

Attendance—66,648.

Uniform jerseys—Navy, blue; Army, white.

Current betting—Army favored 2 to 1.

Weather expected—Fair and cold.

Condition field—Good to fast (resodded this fall).

Radio broadcast—Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS) network over 143 stations in United States with armed forces radio service broadcasting via short wave around world.

Former Irish Star Faces Old Mates

South Bend, Ind. Dec. 1 (AP).—Fullback Jim Mello, who was one of Notre Dame's brightest stars on its 1943 national championship football team, will lead the Great Lakes eleven against the Irish tomorrow. Mello, named captain for the clash, is the powerhouse of the Sailor eleven and one of its top scorers, excelling in conversions. He has booted 30 extra points, in addition to scoring six touchdowns.

Notre Dame will be seeking revenge for last season's upset win by the Sailors, who scored in the last few seconds to triumph, 19 to 14.

Va. Tech Retains Younger, Tilson as Football Coaches

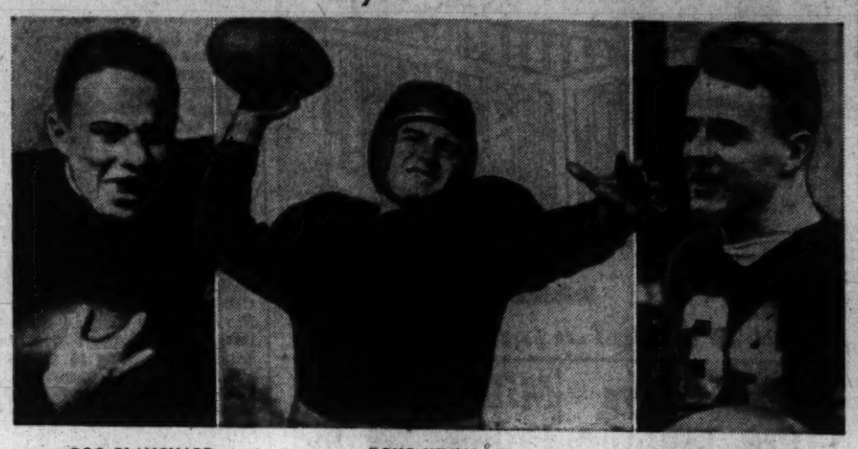
Blacksburg, Va., Dec. 1. (AP).—H. M. McEver has been named acting head coach of the 1945 Gobblers, W. L. (Monk) Younger, director of athletics at Virginia Tech, announced today.

Tech's head coach, Lieut. James R. Kitts, is on leave while serving in the Navy. S. D. (Tex) Tilson will continue to coach the line.

The coaching arrangement, approved by President Julian A. Burruss, is almost the same as was successfully followed in 1942 when Kitt's two assistants served as co-coaches to take the Gobblers through a season of seven wins, two defeats and one tie.

The only 1945 game scheduled to date is with Virginia Military Institute for Thanksgiving Day in Roanoke.

Those Army Backs Who'll—



DOC BLANCHARD, 205, Fullback — DOUG KENNA, 180, Quarterback — GLENN DAVIS, 170, Halfback

66,648 Fans to Witness Annual Service Clash

Cadets Seek First Victory in Five Years; Jenkins, Hamberg Ready for Action

By Shirley Povich
Post Staff Writer

Baltimore, Dec. 1.—The gridiron task forces of Army and Navy tonight awaited the kick-off hour of 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in Baltimore's U-shaped stadium—with pre-game odds rating unbeaten Army the 11 to 5 favorite.

Baltimore is in a dither of preparation for the classic that will be seen by 66,648 lucky ticket holders including 25,000 war bond buyers. Hotel space has long since been exhausted and tardy ticket seekers are at the mercy of scalpers who have been reaping prices of $20 to $75 for the $4.80 seats.

For this long-awaited collision of the two football Titans of the East, at least three Cabinet officers will be in attendance along with high-ranking Army and Navy officials. In the stands, too, will be hundreds of wounded G.I. Joes, sailors and coast guardsmen from area hospitals as invited guests of the service teams.

Seeks First Unbeaten Year

Army's point-a-minute team, resting tonight at its suburban retreat at nearby Gilman School, tomorrow will be reaching for the first unbeaten, untied season record in West Point history. Navy's twice-beaten team will make the trip from Annapolis tomorrow morning, moving into the stadium just before game time.

Ranked at the top of the national college football picture since early season, Army will be striving to bring to a halt five long years under the heel of Navy in the annual service game. Not since 1941 has Army scored against Navy.

For this hottest of all football rivalries, the weather man has chipped in with a prophecy of clear and cold tomorrow afternoon. The gridiron is expected to be fast despite a recent resodding job by stadium authorities which drew complaints from Army officials who feared a slow field would hamper the fast Cadet backs.

The odds makers have been making Army a decisive favorite in recent weeks following the West Point Cadets' superior performances against Penn, Duke and Notre Dame, common foes of the service teams.

Important Test for "T"

Tomorrow's battle serves up what is hailed as the most important test of the T-formation against the single wing attack. Army, with it's clever T-attack, has been consistently rolling up higher scores than Navy with its single wing featuring power drives.

Army's offense will be confronted, however, with its highest hurdle of the year in the rugged Navy line that, on defense particularly, is rated perhaps the finest unit in college football history.

Navy's recent practice sessions have been devoted almost wholly to defenses for the fleet Army backs, Doug Kenna, Glenn Davis, Max Minor and Dale Hall, and the line smashes of Doc Blanchard, sensational Plebe powerhouse of the Cadets.

West Point coaches, unimpressed by the 11 to 5 odds against Navy, admit concern over the Midshipmen's own offensive game as well as Navy's defensive power. The chief target of Army defenses will be 150-pound Hal Hamberg, whose passing, kicking and ball carrying proved the balance of power in the last two Army-Navy games.

Tonight, the coaches of the two teams refused to express themselves beyond the hope that their squads would win. Said Coach Earl Blaik of Army, raised in rank to a full colonel this week: "Navy has defeated Army five years in a row. The last two seasons, the Navy line turned the trick, but that won't be the margin tomorrow. They will need more than a good line to beat us."

Navy Ready, Says Coach

Comdr. Oscar E. Hagberg, Navy's coach, said: "Navy is ready for its best game of the year. If the boys don't make too many mistakes I think we have a good chance of winning. No doubt Army is potent, and they have enough to really pour it on us if they get going."

Navy coaches were undecided tonight whether Hamberg or big Bob Jenkins will be at halfback in the starting backfield that otherwise will comprise Clyde Scott as a heavy duty man, Dick Duden as the No. 1 blocker and Bill Barron, fleet halfback who is featured on reverse plays.

Jenkins, absent from practice for several days this week, is now pronounced fit, and Army is certain to feel the weight of his charges, even as last year when his line plunging featured the Navy victory at West Point. Marring Jenkins' sensational play this year, however, has been his frequent fumbling.

Blanchard Counterthreat

Blanchard, who is Army's counterthreat to Jenkins, and also Army's most powerful blocker and kicker, may not start for Army unless Navy wins the toss and elects to receive the ball, whereupon Blanchard will kick off.

Rated on a par with Blanchard, however, as a ball carrier to be feared is the Army's Glenn Davis, elusive open-field runner and a favorite target for the passes of Doug Kenna, quarterback.

As Navy's passing targets, Jenkins and Hamburg will have Ben Martin, end, and Bill Barron, halfback, as their favorites. Navy's offensive strategy will depend, however, on the degree in which big Don Whitmire and his cohorts in the rugged Navy line can stop Army's running game.

Meet Up With These Seven Stalwarts in That Navy Line

LEFT TO RIGHT: Leon Bramlett, r.e.; Don Whitmire, r.t.; Jim Carrington, r.g.; Jack Martin center; Ben Chase, l.g.; Gail Gilliam, l.t.; Ben Martin, l.e.

Eastern Wins, 27-13, For Interhigh Title

By Newton Bowers
Post Staff Writer

Eastern High's powerhouse football Ramblers, relying throughout on their strong ground attack, easily romped over air-minded Western yesterday, 27 to13, to win the 1944 interhigh championship before some 5000 spectators at Central Stadium.

The victory enabled the Ramblers to complete a 10-game season undefeated with eight interhigh games to their credit, and snap the Red Raiders' winning streak at five. It was the Ramblers' first championship since 1937, and it was the Raiders who were the victims then in the title game.

The usual brilliant Western passing attack was held at bay until the fourth period when the Raiders scored both their touchdowns within three minutes. Eastern's running attack, paced by Plungin' Ed Charnock and Jack Bobb, clicked for a touchdown in the first and second periods and two more in the third.

Ramblers Count Early

The Ramblers' first touchdown came shortly after the opening whistle when Phil Cocimano and Tom Foley broke through the Western defense to block Buddy Hart's punt and Guard Dixie Howell recovered on the 9. Jack Bobb sliced off tackle to the 4, followed by a 2-yard plunge by Charnock. Sonny Settle then took it over on an end run. Howell's kick was wide.

Eastern registered its second midway in the second period. The Ramblers took possession on downs on their own 34 where Charnock went through the middle on the first play to the 44. Bobb then took it to the Western 49. Three line plays, two by Charnock and one by Bob Lyle, took the ball to the 34 where Bobb shook loose on a reverse to the 4. Charnock then carried it over through the middle. Howell's kick was perfect.

Raider Fumble Costly

The Ramblers scored their final two touchdowns in the third period. The first came when Eastern's Mark Grimes recovered Buddy Hart's fumble on the Western 4 when Hart attempted to kick. Bob Lyle went over on a quarterback sneak and Howell added the point.

Eastern's final 6-pointer came minutes later when Cocimano scooped up a fumble on the Western 35 and scooted the distance. Howell kicked his third successive conversion.

Western's touchdowns came one after another in the final period, the first when they recovered a blocked punt on the Eastern 40 and Hart connected with a 37-yard aerial to Bob Lichty, who ran over from the three. Bob Guillot's attempted placement for the conversion failed.

Western kicked off and the Easterners fumbled the ball on the 35 and the Raiders recovered. Gene Gould then passed 10 yards to Jack Castro, who evaded a host of would-be Rambler tacklers to score. Guillot's kick was perfect.

Eastern.		Western.
Foley	L.E.	Beatty
Weickhardt	L.T.	Ilgenfritz
Russell	L.G.	Guillot
Cocimano	Center	Baxter
Howell	R.G.	Coleman
Grimes	R.T.	Krouse
Payne	R.E.	Leeth
Lyle	Q.B.	Lichty
Bobb	L.H.	Hart
Settle	R.H.	Castro
Charnock	F.B.	Gould

Eastern	6	7	14	0	—27
Western	0	0	0	13	—13

Touchdowns—Settle, Charnock, Lyle, Cocimano, Lichty, Castro. Points after touchdowns—Howell (3), Guillot. Substitutions: Eastren—Smith, Kirk, Brah, Musselman, Merelman, Trevitt, English, Yoho, W. Foley, Osborne; Western—Hamilton, Hunn, Miller, Unler, Boose, Yeager, Lamar, Cohen.

Tars' Whitmire Held Difference In Service Tilt

By Harold Classen

New York, Dec. 1 (AP).—Navy will defeat Army in tomorrow's football game in Baltimore Stadium.

Army is credited with the more versaitle backs, Navy the more experienced line—a situation which could provide for any kind of a game and any kind of a score. But the forecast that the Middies will win is based on the belief that Don Whitmire, Navy's 215-pound left tackle, will be the outstanding man on the field.

Closing the season in a hurry (record to date: 244 wins, 58 defeats for .808).

Georgia Tech over Georgia: The rivalry will be every bit as intense as in the service clash with the Engineers, Orange-Bowl bound, winning after a rugged battle.

Notre Dame Over Great Lakes: The final 10 seconds of last year's unexpected Irish defeat has been a year-long nightmare at South Bend.

Oklahoma Over Nebraska: The sooners clinched their second straight Big Six crown.

6T. C. U. Oveh S. M. U.: The T. C. U. revival to carry one for another game at least.

Tulane Over L. S. U.: Comparaove scores indicate the game is a toss-up.

Virginia Over North Carolina: Ed Duda and Jim Fahey make the difference.

Rice Over Southwestern: The Owls to close a spotty season with a triumph.

Director Weds 4th Time

Philedalphia, Dec. 1 (AP).—Busby Berkeley, stage and movie director known for his dance sets, has taken his fourth bride, attractive Myra Steffens, former model. Berkeley, who staged dances in the musical "Glad To See You," now playing here, said the marriage took place early this week but declined to say where.

Rampage Wins In Photo at Charles Town

By Walter Haight
Post Staff Writer

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 1. By a thin nose margin Mrs. Guy Needy's Rampage was a picture winner over Mrs. C. P. Miles' Petes Bet in the annual running of the Blue Ridge Club Purse featuring the Friday program. A neck off the top pair in the blanket finish came Mrs. Don Chamblin's Boy Larkmead to be third in the field of six going over the "Charles Town Course" of 120 feet more than six furlongs.

The track froze last night and was in much better condition than at any time since racing began here last Monday. Rampage, ridden by Apprentice Jockey R. Fiocchi, was clocked in a creditable 1:18 2-5. Witht Petes Bet an odds-on favorite, Rampage returned a $9.40 mutuel.

Boy Larkmead set the early pace with Petes Bet in second position going into the backstretch. Then Petes Bet moved up head and head with Boy Larkmead and Rampage began moving up. Entering the stretch Rampage came to the outside and the three horses thetn appeared to be hauling a chariot. Boy Larkmead weakened but Petes Bet and Rampage came on and the camera had to separate them.

The Bert Nye Purse, second best offering on the card, provided a longshot winner in Rounco, owned by R. B. Sanner, jr. The son of Cohort paid $89.80 after excellent ride by Jockey John Matral. The Flamingo Farm's Exploit was second and B. S. Campbell's Patch Pocket was third.

The daily double paid $19.20. Mrs. Campbell's Led Astray won the first event with Louis Hurwitz's Nick accounting for the second.

Les Horvath Wins Heisman Trophy

New York, Dec. 1 (AP).—Les Harvath, Ohio State quarterback, was named winner of the Heisman Memorial Trophy as the outstanding college football player of 1944 today. He will receive the award at the annual banquet at the Downtown Athletic Club Tuesday night.

Horvath received 412 votes to 287 for Glen Davis, speedy left halfback on Army's unbeaten squad and the Nation's leading scored. Felix (Doc) Blanchard, Army fullback and blocker de luxe, was third with 237.

Angelo Bertelli of Notre Dame, was the winner a year ago.

Army-Navy Line-Ups Today

ARMY

Position	Name	Home	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Yrs. on Squad
L.E.	Richard Pitzer	Connellsville, Pa.	19	5-11	195	2
L.T.	Arch V. Arnold	Fort Lewis, Wash.	22	6-3	195	3
L.G.	John F. Green	Shelbyville, Ky.	21	5-8	190	2
C.	Robt. J. St. Onge	Forest Hills, N. Y.	21	5-11	180	3
R.G.	Jos. J. Stanowicz	Hackettstown, N. J.	23	6-1	215	3
R.T.	Albert M. Nemetz	Prince George, Va.	22	6-0	191	2
R.E.	Edmund A. Rafalko	Stoughton, Mass.	20	6-2	185	3
Q.B.	Edward D. Kenna	Jackson, Miss.	20	5-11	180	3
L.H.	Dale S. Hall	Parsons, Kans.	20	5-11	185	3
R.H.	John Max Minor	Qtoka, Texas	22	5-10	180	2
F.B.	Felix Blanchard	Bishopville, S. C.	20	6-0	205	1

NAVY

L.E.	Leon Bramlett, jr.	Clarksdale, Miss.	19	6-1	182	2
L.T.	Don B. Whitmire	Decatur, Ala.	22	5-11	215	2
L.G.	James H. Carrington	Riverside, Conn.	20	6-1	190	1
C.	Jack Martin	Toledo, Ohio	22	6-3	205	3
R.G.	Capt. Ben S. Chase	San Diego, Calif.	20	6-1	195	3
R.T.	Gail H. Gilliam	Eastland, Texas	20	5-11	198	3
R.E.	Ben S. Martin	Prospect Park, Pa.	23	6-1	187	3
Q.B.	H. Richard Duden, jr.	Englewood N. J.	19	6-2	195	2
L.H.	Robert T. Jenkins	Talladega, Ala.	20	6-1	195	2
R.H.	William H. Barron	Lewisburg, Tenn.	20	5-8	160	2
F.B.	Clyde L. Scott	Smackover, Ark.	19	5-10	175	1

Army May Lift Post-Season Ban on Football

Things look rather favorable for Army football teams to receive permission to play postseason games, the War Department said yesterday.

The "proposition is still in the mill," a spokesman said, and an announcement is "about ready to be made," the Associated Press reported.

Both the Navy and Army have been flooded with requests for additional games by such outstanding service teams as Army's Randolph Field in Texas, and Navy's Bainbridge, Md., Training eleven.

While the Army has indicated all along that it probably will grant permission to play such games, the Navy says its regulations prohibiting further play will stand.

Navy's position apparently precludes a widely-sought meeting of Randolph Field and Bainbridge, both undefeated, for the service forces championship.

But a favorable decision by the War Department would enable Randolph Field, March Field in California, second Air Force in Colorado, Third Air Force in North Carolina and other strong Army teams to play postseason and Bowl games.

Conway to Report Here Today for Chaney Bout Drills

Clent Conway, hard-hitting Newark heavyweight, will arrive today for two final training stints before facing Colon Chaney, of Indianapolis, Monday night in the ten-round headliner spat at Turner's Arena.

Conway, whose four fights since being discharged from the Army have restored him to good fighting weight and punching sharpness, will be gunning for his fourteenth triumph in District rings. He has won 13 victories here against one defeat—that by Al Hart.

Chaney has knocked out 16 opponents in his short career of 31 fights. He is a natural puncher, as District fans observed some weeks ago in whipping Buddy Thomas. The Hoosier floored Thomas twice.

The semi-windup eight-rounder for pits Bee Bee Washington against Roland Hopp, Indianapolis middleweight.

Aberdeen Takes Boxing Crown

Edgewood, Md., Dec. 1 (AP).—The soldier boxing tea mfrom the Aberdeen Proving Ground held the regional boxing championship of the Third Service Command today.

Aberdeen leather throwers piled up 24 points in a regional tourney held at Edgewood last night to 13 for the Indiantown Gap (Pa.) Military Reservation, the runner-up. Edgewood Arsenal got 5 and Perry Point and Camp Holabird, the other entries, chalked up 3 points each.

Pvt. Fred Elsten of Indiantown Gap, who was a contender for the lightweight championship in civilian life when he fought under the name of Fred Lawson, was the star of the night as he pounded out a three-round decision over Pfc. Buddy Garcia of Aberdeen.

Other results:
Sergt. Max Starr, 146, decisioned Corpl. Bunnet Coffey, 148, Holabird.
Pvt. Jerry Mason, 166, Aberdeen, decisioned Pvt. Stanley Battern, 176, Indiantown.
Pvt. John Cawalski, Aberdeen, 183, technical knockout, Pat Maccisces, 153, Aberdeen, in first round.
Sergt. Ellis Steward, 165, Holabird, defeated Pvt. Chief Running Deer, 161, Aberdeen, technical knockout, first round.
Sergt. Garland Reynolds, 198, Aberdeen, defeated Pfc. Norman Wright, 192, Perry Point, decision.

'Skins, Giants Battle in Crucial Test Tomorrow

By Al Costello
Post Staff Writer

The Redskins shove off for New York today where tomorrow they battle the New York Giants to keep from being shoved out of the Eastern Division championship throat-cutting.

The underdog Redskins, who are 1 to 2 choices in straight betting and seven points on the wrong side in the point odds, are as well fixed physically as they can be and are every bit as much "up" mentally as they should be.

'Skins Must Win or Else

Pitting their airborne attack, featuring Sammy Baugh and Frank Filchock, against the ground eating legs of (Bullet Bill) Paschal, Howie Livingston and Ward Cuff, big three of the Giant ball toting corps, the Redskins must win or face virtual elimination in their plucky, but lucky battle to retain last year's Eastern Division championship. Should the Redskins win tomorrow they could win the Eastern title by a repeat here next Sunday, regardless of what the Philadelphia Eagles do in their two remaining games with the Brooklyn Tigers tomorrow and the Cleveland Rams next Sunday. The Giants, too, by a sweep, would win the Eastetrn title.

Should the Redskins and Giants tie once and the Eagles sweep their two games, the winner of the second Giant-Redskins game will meet the Eagles for the title. Should the Redskins and Giants split and the Eagles win their two, the Eagles would be champs. To create a three way tie it would be necessary for the Redskins and Giants to tie twice and the Eagles win one and tie one of their two games, a very unlikely happening.

Finished Drills Yesterday

The Redskins finished their hard licks yesterday. Coach Dud DeGroot and Advisor Clark Shaughnessy put the club through its entire repetoire of offensive gestures after going over the Giant attack and ways to stop it once more. The Redskins remain calm and confident and are quietly convinced they are going to win and get in the playoff which will mean approximately $1000 each per player.

Physically, the Redskins will be without End Ted Lapka, who is on the reserve list with a broken leg, and tackle Joe Ungerer, who has a broken toe. Alex Piasecky will start in Lapka's accustomed place on the right wing and Joe Zeno, ordinarily a guard, will move over to tackle in place of Angerer with Jack Keenan and Mitch Ucovich ready to alternate. Big Jim North, who played only a short while last week against the Yanks, reported his injured leg in excellent shape and will start at the other tackle. Les Dye, pass catching end who is beginning to figure more and more as a target for Baugh and Filchock, still is suffering a bad shoulder but is expected to play nonetheless.

The Redskins will polish off a week of arduous preparation this morning with a light drill before entraining at 2 p. m. for New York.

Just in Passing

Atlanta, Dec. 1. (AP).—Marist College thinks it has something of a football passing sensation in 16-year-old Joe Salome. In six games he completed 46 aerials out of 86 and in one game he tossed 11 good out of 16. What's more, Coach John McDonald says that during the season Salome threw 29 passes which receivers dropped but "should have caught."

Naval Research, Kavakos Cagers To Clash Sunday

Liberally stocked with former college aces, Naval Research is one of the preseason dark horses in the twelfth annual Heurich basketball tournament opening Sunday night at Heurich gym. Among the top notchers on the team which faces Kavakos Grill at 7 p. m. in the league inaugural are Lieuts. Paul Busse and Bill Carter. The former was a football and basketball standout at Princeton while Carter hails from Duke University.

Kavakos also has some proven veterans. These include Knocky Thomas, who used to play for the U. of Maryland, and Bob Berry and Bob Custer of Columbus.

In the second tussle on Sunday's program, the Office of Strategic Services is matched against Senate Beer. George Babcock, OSS' pride who shone with the Indiana U. frosh in 1941, and Senate's 6-foot 7-inch Tom Ross are the featured performers in this game.

Perrusos Cafe, winner of last year's tournament, is up against Garvin's Grill in the final game of the evening. Among Perrusos' standard bearers is Lenny Mills, a 6-foot 5-inch scoring threat.

Other teams in the tournament are the Headquarters Marines of the Arlington Navy Annex, Naval Ordnance, the Army Air Forces Weather Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation and Transcontinental Western Airlines.

Bill Bennings

AT CHARLES TOWN

1—Nepolos, Canize, Blue Melody.
2—Oddroe, Blue Devil, Bell Sona.
3—British Warm, War Commander, Gradatim.
4—One Thirty, Upjack, Gay Meadow.
5—MILDRED R., Wayuma, Shalleen.
6—Freeland's Own, Rose Aztecn, Rough Egg.
7—Honeymaid, Black Bear, Kenabal.
8—Mad Venture, Bagpipe, Supreme Flag.

Charles Town

By the Associated Press

1—About 4½; $700; 4-yr.-olds up; clmg.

Darling	108	Hutoka	110
Blue Melody	108	Peggy Favorite	116
Rhyme Master	116	Play Boy	116
Navigation	116	Time Her	108
Canize	116	Star Magic	113
Neopleo	113	Miss Addie	113
Over Gold	116		

2—About 4½; $700; 4-yr.-olds up; clmg.

Kitty's Timer	113	Orodes	110
Love, Affair	115	Bellesma	108
Truda	115	Blue Devil	117
Nocbre	113	Oddroe	117
Cacka Time	116	Miss Upstart	113
Alaiela	115		

3—C. T. course; $700; 3-year-olds up; clng.

Valdina Fire	115	War Commander	115
Gradatim	113	Zac Pam	108
Long Legs	111	British Warm	119
Copperette	113	Cutlocse	110

4—4½; $700; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Gay Meadow	118	James T. R.	115
Red Jim	118	One Thirty	115
In Fun	115	Sarakan	113
Eureak	113	Pugilist	118
Faithful Heart	118	Alsace	118
Upjack	118	Hasemont	110
Sunny Del	110	Discmont	115

5—C. T. course; $700; 3-year-olds up; clng.

On Location	119	Miss R.	107
Wayuma	118	Multiquest	113
Psychoanalyst	118	Shalleen	115
Lena Obrl	116	Celtic Legend	108
Mildred R.	116		

6—C. T. course; $700; 3-year-olds up; clng.

My Ricky	121	Rough Egg	111
Bright and Early	114	Royal Silver	113
Rose Aztecn	111	Freeland's Own	115
Skippy's Lad	112	Freian	116
Lee's Lorraine	111		

7—About 4½; $700; 4-yr.-olds up; clming.

Chester	113	Ecomist	113
Waugh Pop	120	Sir Islam	115
Black Bear	116	Sumpin	113
Come High	112	Gay Padre	116
Honey Maid	117	Gallant	111
True Pilate	113	Patland	115

8—1 1-16; $700; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Bagpipe	118	Easter Pal	115
Decisive	118	Fair Isle	118
Supreme Flag	113	Mad Venture	115
Some Grouchor	113	Grouchy	110
My Exit	118		

Gulfstream

By the Associated Press

1—1 1-16; $1000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Air Power	106	Snow Fly	112
Sal's Sister	106	Equanimous	113
Ties Bar	115	Faust II	113
Budded	117	Dinna Care	114

2—¾; $1000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Davitt	110	Faraway Island	109
Sun Ivy	112	†Becomly	112
Miola	117	Dark Mischief	110
Playante	109	†Caesar B.	115
Tie Peticht	117	Tyrone	115
Picket Line	112	Town Boy	115
Gamboleer	115	Here Goes	117

†Mrs. J. Kosachryn and M. McCullum entry.

3—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Miami Springs	115	Mercury	112
Pistol Pete	115	Pilate's Miss	110
Legation	115	Valdina Bright	115

4—5½; $1000; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Penny Pincher	117	Miboh	110
King Appell	111	Rotamal	113
Pilot Light	107	Panacea	117
Miss Observer	108	Singing Bid	107
Cracks	115	Great Divide	113

5—1 1-16; $2000; 3-yr.-olds up; allowances.

†Quarterback	106	†Three Clovers	109
Desert Ace	107	St. Jock	111
†Toolmaker	107	Top Reward	112
†Clansman	108		

†W. A. Coleman and G. T. Strothers entry.
†Mrs. G. H. Emick entry.

6—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Our Victory	109	Beautiful II	108
Bottle Imp	112	Midnight Ride	108
Vanalam	110	Winter Rules	112

7—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Etertta	105	Liberty Pan	116
Dartaway	108	Noonday Sun	111
Hollywood	108	Rush Act	120

8—1 1-16; $1200; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Still Pond	120	Ration Scotch	110
Rocket Gal	108	Fair Player	114
Bonnie Golos	117	Reaping Gem	113
Play Show	111		

GULFSTREAM SELECTIONS (Fast)

1—Faust II, Epaminondus, Budded.
2—Hefetchit, Becomly, Tyrone.
3—Legation, Pistol Pete, Mercury.
4—KING APPELL, Pilot Light, Singing Bid.
5—Clansman, Quarterback, St. Jock.
6—Our Victory, Beautiful II, Winter Rules.
7—Noonday Sun, Rush Act, Dartaway.
8—Fair Player, Reaping Gem, Play Show.
—Louisville Times (AP).

1—1-70; $1000; 3-year-olds up.

Razor Sharp, 120 (Skoronski)	14.40	6.80	4.00
Straw Stack, 113 (R.Meade)		8.20	4.70
Still Gallant, 120 (Permane)			2.80

Briar Play, Risanda, Juanita M., Very Fair, Count Traumer, Crucible, Bolivar, Parlay King also ran. Time, 1:45.

2—2½; $2000; 3-year-olds.

Four G's, 120 (Chaffin)	4.30	3.60	2.60
Ankylos, 114 (Thacker)		5.30	4.30
Sweep Call, 114 (Mattioli)			4.90

Sun Banner, Kalamazoo, Brainsafire, Shot One, Her Image, Miss Freedom, Warawee, Stonewall, Money Miss also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $50.10.

3—¾; $1200; 2-year-olds.

Stager, 107 (Permane)	19.50	5.80	4.60
Thor Barton, 110 (Layton)		7.90	5.20
Army Glider, 116 (Roberts)			4.50

Century, Darby Duncan, Evening Flight, Margus, Darby Delores, Gomal, Reply Paid also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.

4—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up.

J. J. Lynch, 110 (Patterson)	10.80	6.00	4.00
Hoosier, 115 (Canning)		7.60	4.10
Carmus, 120 (Scocca)			3.10

Olidor, Faitsurf, Pompeo, Notnow, Birch Rod, Likeable, Crazy Horse, Alan F., Another Time also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.

5—¾; $2500; 3-year-olds up.

Fire Power, 108 (Roberts)	10.50	6.00	4.40
Red Deck, 110 (Seurjack)		9.60	6.40
Unknown Reward, 107 (Skoronski)			6.40

Happy Lark, Civil Liberty, Free Double, Darby Ducat also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.

6—¾; $2500; 3-year-olds up.

†Good Going, 101 (Skoronski)	7.70	3.50	2.80
Windmill, 110 (Permane)		4.40	3.10
Bridleour, 110 (Chaffin)			5.20

Senate, Richmond, †Romulus, Argonne Woods, Roman Red, Okapi Lancer also ran. Time, 1:11⅘.

7—1¼; $1000; 3-year-olds up.

Gross Piesty, 113 (Mills)	41.30	12.10	4.20
Shadburn, 117 (Horvath)		4.10	2.80
The General, 120 (Ferguson)			4.10

His Man, Son of Heels, Waddy also ran. Time, 2:08.

8—1-70; $1200; 3-year-olds up.

Steil, 107 (Nichols)	20.30	11.10	6.20
Boris N., 115 (Fischer)		9.80	5.40
Gino T., 117 (Scocca)			4.20

Playful Pal, Lee's Jimmie, Bright Camp, Golden Mowlee, Top Sergeant, Speedy Josie, New Glory also ran. Time, 1:44⅘(equals track record).

CHARLES TOWN SELECTIONS (Fast)

1—Navigation, Fergy's Favorite, Hutoka.
2—Blue Devil, Oddroe, Truda.
3—Cutlocse, Valdina Fire, British Warm.
4—Upjack, Pugilist, Gay Meadow.
5—Wayuma, Shalleen, Multiquest.
6—BRIGHT AND EARLY, Freeland's Own, My Ricky.
7—Waugh Pop, Ecomist, Chester.
8—Supreme Flag, Derbaire, Mad Venture.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Prince Georges Football

PRINCE GEORGES FOOTBALL

Undisputable winners of first place in the 150-pound Prince Georges Football League, which is completing its first season under sponsorship of the County Police Boys Club, the Georgetown Trojans will play the ninth and last game of the season Sunday, when they face the Hyattsville Police Boys Club at Magruder Park, Hyattsville. Although the Hyattsville team is a first-division team it cannot displace the Georgetowners from the title even in event of victory.

The second-place Greenbelt eleven is a runaway favorite to defeat the last place Hornet A. C., and retain its position in the league, when the two teams meet at Greenbelt.

Fourth-place Maryland Park is a favorite over the Laurel Police Boys Club unit in their game at Laurel. Other contests are National Training School vs. Mount Rainier and Georges News Shop vs. Berwyn at Berwyn.

Standings of the teams to date are:

Team	W	T	L	Pts	OP	P
Georgetown Trojans	8	0	0	176	6	16
Greenbelt	6	1	1	106	33	13
Hyattsville	6	0	2	131	47	12
Maryland Park	5	2	1	58	25	12
Mount Rainier	4	0	4	94	64	8
Nat. Train. School	3	2	3	68	76	8
Georges News Shop	2	1	5	47	76	6
Laurel	1	1	6	31	172	3
Berwyn	0	2	6	31	124	2
Hornet A. C.	0	1	7	25	156	1

All games 2 p. m., admission free.

Post Consensus

AT GULFSTREAM

1—Epaminondus, Faust II, Air Power.
2—Tyrone, Picket Line, Hefetchit.
3—Legation, Pistol Pete, Mercury.
4—KING APPELL, Pilot Light, Singing Bid.
5—Clansman, Quarterback, St. Jock.
6—Our Victory, Beautiful II, Winter Rules.
7—Noonday Sun, Exterita, Dartaway.
8—Reaping Gem, Still Pond, Ration Scotch.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

WHEN DONALD NELSON conferred with Stalin at the Kremlin during his first trip to China, he questioned Stalin at length about the Chinese Communists. He especially wanted to be able to assure Chiang Kai-shek that the Chinese Communists would not try to impose a Soviet government on the rest of the country if Chiang permitted them to join his government.

Stalin assured Nelson that to the best of his knowledge, Chinese Reds had no intention of communizing the country as Chiang Kai-shek feared.

Quipped Stalin: "They're not real Communists, they're just margarine Communists."

Millionaires in State Department

IF NEWLY APPOINTED SECRETARY of State Ed Stettinius goes through with some of the plans discussed for new Assistant Secretaries, the State Department will really be a millionaires' club.

Here are some of the men on the list for probable appointment:

Nelson Rockefeller, now head of the Latin American cultural office, may be Assistant Secretary in charge of Latin American affairs. Rockefeller, son of one of the richest men in America, did a good job in improving war-time Pan American relations until (1) he began to close down his work, and (2) the whole Argentine mess caused such resentment.

Will Clayton, millionaire cotton broker and chief aide to Jesse Jones, may be Assistant Secretary in charge of economic matters. Clayton, who buys and sells more cotton than any man in the world, conceived the idea of boosting cotton production in Brazil, making her this country's greatest competitor. He succeeded.

Adolf Berle, whose wife recently inherited three million dollars in New York real estate, would remain as Assistant Secretary.

Lew Douglas, former Director of the Budget and former deputy War Shipping Administrator, may become Undersecretary. popular with the President, Douglas was slated to become Undersecretary when Sumner Welles resigned, but FDR suddenly switched to Stettinius. Douglas is now head of Mutual Life Insurance of New York, his family own large copper mines in Arizona, and he has been close to the J. P. Morgan firm, from which Stettinius also springs.

Jimmy Dunn, closest friend to Mr. Hull in the department, may now be elevated to Assistant Secretary. Dunn married into the Armour millions. He supplied the croquet field on which Mr. Hull played his favorite game when he was well.

Capital Chaff

IT WAS HARRY HOPKINS who carried the promise to former Justice Byrnes that he could be Secretary of State if he stayed on as War Mobilizer . . . This is the second time in three years that South Carolina has had a newspaper publisher in the United States Senate. When Jimmy Byrnes stepped from the Senate up to the Supreme Court in 1941, Greenville News-Piedmont publisher Roger Peace was appointed interim Senator to take his place. Now Gov. Olin Johnston has appointed Anderson Mail and Independent-Tribune publisher Wilton E. Hall to replace the late "Cotton Ed" Smith until Johnston himself takes office in the Senate in Jaunary. . . . When and if FDR looks around for a new Secretary of Labor, he ought to scan the unique record of buff, ruddy-faced Congressman "Gus" Kelly of Pennsylvania, who owns several mines outside of Pittsburgh, has two sons who carry union cards, and always gets a solid vote from the United Mine Workers. . . . De Gaulle's new Ambassador to Washington, Henri Bonnet, should not be confused with appeasing Ambassador Georges Bonnet who served here before Munich. . . . The new Bonnet has been here many times, but never as Ambassador. His wife ran a hat shop in New York after the fall of France to keep the family in funds. Her refugee husband taught and wrote for a living. He will be a breath of life to the diplomatic corps.

Relations With Latin America

SOME TIME BEFORE Secretary of State Hull went to the hospital, plump, poplar, placid Brazilian Ambassador Carlos Martins went down to the State Department to see him.

Usually Ambassador Martins is the height of charm and suave geniality. No one would ever expect him to be tough. But he can be. And in talking to Secretary Hull, Ambassador Martins politely but coldly laid it on the line that Brazil could not live in close juxtaposition with her chief neighbor, Argentina, without exchanging Ambassadors and being on speaking terms. The situation would be similar to the United States and Canada breaking diplomatic relations and refusing to speak to each other, Martins hinted.

While Brazil does not at all concur with Argentina's various domestic policies, the Ambassador made it clear that the Pan-American nations should at least hold a meeting to reconsider their previous policy of refusing Argentina recognition.

Secretary Hull, thumping mad, turned Ambassador Martins down cold.

Since, then, it has developed that other Good Neighbors want to recognize Argentina, or at least discuss the question of recognition—including Mexico, Venezuela and Colombia.

This deadlock has now become the most serious diplomatic problem facing new Secretary of State Stettinius. It was also a primary factor in the President's decision to appoint a new Secretary of State.

Our situation in regard to Latin America today is similar to that faced by Calvin Coolidge in 1927. Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg had landed marines in Nicaragua, had blasted Mexico with a series of notes putting her "on trial before the world." As a result, all of Latin America was sympathetic with those two countries and seething against us.

Secretary Kellogg could not reverse his policies without serious loss of prestige. Therefore, Coolidge shrewdly sent Henry L. Stimson to Nicaragua and Dwight Morrow to Mexico. They virtually took things out of Kellogg's hands, revamped our entire policy.

Roosevelt figured that a similar clean-cut new start would have to be made in our whole Pan-American relations as far as Argentina was concerned. It could not have been done under Hull; it can now be done under Stettinius—though it will still be difficult.

PEARL

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quiry report, decided regarding Short:

"So far as the commanding general of the Hawaiian department is concerned, I am of the opinion that his errors of judgment were of such a nature as to demand his relief from a command status. This was done January 11, 1942, and in itself is a serious result for any officer with a long record of excellent service, and conscientious as I believe General Short to be. In my judgment, on the evidence now recorded, it is sufficient action."

Worked Against Deadline

Both inquiry boards were working against a highly theoretical deadline of December 7, established when Congress passed its second resolution extending the statute of limitations for six months. Some attorneys doubt the legality of such extension, but both officers concerned have waived their rights under the statute.

A third resolution, extending the statute of limitations for an addition half-year period, already has passed the Senate, and is before the House, where speedy passage is expected.

However, Army and Navy have had almost three years to gather evidence to present to a general court-martial and yesterday announced there wasn't—at present—sufficient evidence to justify such action. The supposition is that all major witnesses have testified before the boards either in person or through affidavit.

Unless startling evidence appears from an unexpected source, all of the important facts in the case were before the Army and Navy boards that have been functioning since last July.

Inactive Status to Continue

The best information available yesterday indicated that the two men who were relieved of their commands almost three years ago will continue in their present status of inactive duty.

Meanwhile, the public knows little more of the circumstances preceding Pearl Harbor than it did after publication of the original Roberts report in January, 1942. Secretary Forrestal, acknowledging this situation, added a postscript to the Navy's report:

"In reaching the above conclusions and decisions I am fully mindful of the wide and legitimate public interest in the Pearl Harbor attack. However, there is one consideration which is paramount to all others, and that is: What will best serve the continued successful prosecution of the war? The actions I have taken in my judgment are taken in the light of that consideration, and I accept full and complete responsibility for them."

Record Must be Secret

Secretary Stimson merely said:

"Finally, I am absolutely clear that it would be highly prejudicial to the successful prosecution of the war and the safety of American lives to make public during the war the report of the Army Pearl Harbor Board or the record on which it is based."

Stimson did not agree with all of the board's conclusions, but did not specify his exceptions. He made this observation regarding the board's findings:

Will Fight It Out, Jeffers Declares Of Federal Suit

Los Angeles, Dec. 1 (AP).—"I'm never going to consent to a consent decree," William M. Jeffers, president of the Union Pacific Railroad, said today in referring to the Federal antitrust suit filed recently against 47 Western railroads.

Jeffers, former rubber director, said there's "too much Government in business." He said railroads are doing a good job of wartime transportation, but are hampered by too many governmental restrictions.

He said little improvement could be expected in railroad transportation service for several years after the war because of impairment of equipment overtaxed by war duty.

Perfect Soldier Ready to Retire

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

DOESNT SWEAR—Corpl. George Keisling, Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., soon will retire after 30 years' service in the Army. He never has taken a day off, taken a furlough or missed a company formation or a meal. He doesn't swear, drink or smoke

Princess Adds Mightiest Ship To British Navy

At a Northern Shipyard in Britain (Undated), (AP).—Princess Elizabeth launched Britain's mightiest battleship today while the men and women who built it cheered themselves hoarse.

The size, the armament, even the name, of the huge ship are secret, but her target is the Japanese navy. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, said, "she will sail in tropical waters against an enemy we particularly want to beat."

The latest edition of the authoritative Jane's Fighting Ships lists as under construction the Lion, Temeraire and two unnamed battleships, each "over 40,000 tons," designed for speeds of 30 knots or more and probably to have nine 16-inch guns.

Hood, Now Sunk, Was Largest

(Britain's previous largest warship was the 42,100-ton Hood, sunk by the Bismarck in May, 1941. The American Iowa Class is rated at 45,000 tons, 33 to 35 knots speed and with nine 16-inch guns.)

The naming and launching of the newest and greatest addition to Britain's fleet was the first important public duty which the slender, 18-year-old princess has carried out alone, and it was marked by the first appearance of her personal standard, made for her by the Royal Navy.

Silver Scissors Clip Tape

After a secret, all-night trip by special train, the princess arrived at the shipyard, accompanied by Alexander, Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew Cunningham and other naval officers and officials. She was dressed simply in pale gray.

A clergyman read the service for the launching of His Majesty's ships, the princess cut a tape with silver scissors to send a bottle of red wine crashing against the bow, set the launching gear in motion by pressing a button, and—with a trace of nervous hesitation—named the ship and added the ancient prayer—"May God bless this ship and all who sail in her."

House Rules Group to Clear Streamline Bill

By Robert C. Albright

House Rules Committee clearance next week of the Maloney-Monroney resolution for an overall modernization study of Congress last night was predicted by Representative Adolph J. Sabath (D., Ill.), House Rules Committee chairman.

Sabath forecast a Rules Committee "green light" on the first major move in a generation for streamlining Congressional procedure after six out of seven witnesses questioned in day-long hearings declared for the Senate-passed resolution.

Representative Howard W. Smith (D., Va.), himself the co-author of a reorganization plan calling for several legislative changes in advance of the study, is expected to support the Senate-approved course, but will call for an early report.

Twelve-Man Committee

Earlier, Representative Jerry Voorhis (D., Calif.), who like Smith had recommended immediate legislation for improved congressional staffing, with House-Senate machinery for checking back on the executive departments, had called for immediate action on the Maloney-Monroney study.

The reorganization survey would be conducted by a 12-man, bipartisan Senate committee, and would cover all of the many plans advanced for overhauling old procedures and duplications that have slowed down the legislative process.

False Atrocity Story's Spread Laid to AMG

London, Dec. 1 (U.P.).—Gerald Barry, editor of the London News Chronicle, charged today that Allied army authorities were responsible for the spread of a false "atrocity" story relating how four German youngsters were caught sniping at American soldiers.

The story was printed October 25 in most London papers with a photograph of four German boys, aged 8 to 14 years, who allegedly were arrested after firing at American soldiers. Dispatches described them as typical of Adolf Hitler's "depraved" youth.

Barry recalled that on October 28 war correspondents reported that the case against the boys had been dropped and that there never had been a question of a court-martial. He added that he became suspicious and asked his correspondent to investigate.

The reporter was quoted as saying: "I picked the story up at Allied Military Government headquarters but dropped it on finding that a court-martial was most unlikely. Two days later I was given a story by the unit which first found the boys and turned them over to military police."

The correspondent was told that a court-martial was probable, Barry said, adding, "I understand the story passed censorship on this basis after the censor had checked with Army authorities."

"In the meantime, I made a check which confirmed my judgment that the whole thing was a boyish prank," Barry said, adding that AMG came to the same conclusion and dropped the case two days later. "The boys actually were firing into a sandbag with a gun they had picked up. An independent check testifies they were terrified when the gun went off," he said.

Pan-American 'Health Day' To Be Observed

Pan American Health Day will be celebrated today with a meeting at 11 a. m. at the Pan American Union building. It is the fifth commemoration of the day which was established by the fourth Pan American conference of national directors of health and official proclamations issued in all the American Republics.

Speakers at this morning's meeting will include Mrs. Roosevelt, Federal Security Administration Paul V. McNutt, Surgeon General Thomas Parran of the United States Federal Security Administrator Julian R. Caceres of Honduras, Ambassador Don Pedro Beltran of Peru, and Dr. Leo S. Rowe, director general of the Pan American Union.

The orchestra of the United States Navy Band will provide music.

One of the meeting's features will be delivery of prizes for the best essays in a Pan American Health day contest to the diplomatic representatives of each republic for transmission to the winners.

What's Going On And Where

Entertainment for Service Men and Women

Victory Canteen for Servicemen, 1113 Pennsylvania ave. nw., 10 a. m.

Army-Navy Masonic Servicemen's Center, 13th st. and New York ave. nw., 1 p. m.

Servicemen's Ticket Booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., 4 to 6:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Canteen for Servicemen of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., checking, shower and lounge, all day.

Stage Door Canteen, Bud Gilbert program, 7:15 p. m.; Rhythm Pilots, 510th Air Forces Band, 8 p. m.; Phil Hayden Dancers, 10:15 p. m.

USO, 1011 H st. nw., Cabaret Night, dancing instructions by Arthur Murray, 8 p. m.; rhumba and tango, 9 p. m.

Dance, Mayflower Hotel, Officers Service Club, 9 p. m.

Swimming, National Jewish Welfare Board, 1529 16th st. nw., servicemen only, 6 to 10 p. m.

USO, 801 Market space nw., voice recording, 3 p. m.; Gala stage show, 9 p. m.

Luncheons and Meetings

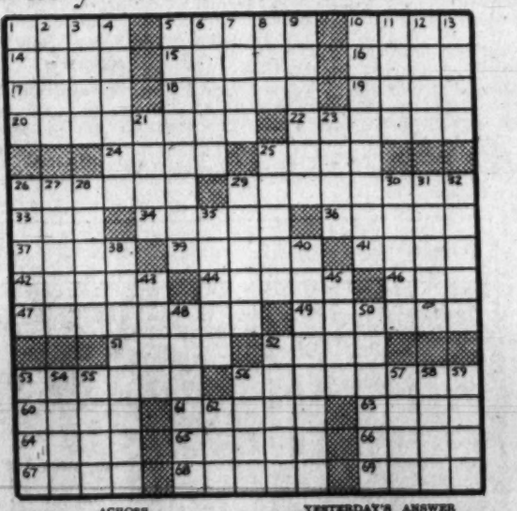
Meeting, National Association of Retired Federal Employes, Natural History Building, National Museum, Constitution ave. and 10th st. nw., 2 p. m.

Luncheon, Harvard Club, Annapolis Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Dinner-dance, Phi Sigma Sigma, Congressional room, Willard Hotel, dinner, 7:30 p. m.; dance, 9 p. m.

Dance, Transportation Corps, War Department, Presidential ballroom, Statler Hotel, 9 p. m.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle



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1 Bang
5 Spirit
10 Hard tissue
14 Narrow band
15 Mother of pearl
16 At any time
17 Heating chamber
18 Levels
19 Close
20 Diversions
22 Garments
24 American Indians
25 Bird cries
26 Fruitless
29 Small rodent
32 Poem
34 Natural terraces
36 Tedium
37 Appendix
39 Savors
41 Fish
42 Blows
44 Malicious burning
46 Salutation
47 Cohesiveness
49 Boisterous player
51 Old alphabet character
52 Greek commune
53 Musical characters
56 Apartment
60 Game
61 Choice part
63 Beverage
64 Over again
65 Roman goddess
66 Patron saint of sailors
67 Small elevations
68 Bows
69 Indian peasant

DOWN

1 Obstruct
2 Fluid rock
3 Mimics
4 Counselor
5 Flowers
6 Rages
7 Chills
8 Sea eagle
9 Person involved in contract
10 Blessings
11 Above
12 Orderly
13 Goes astray
21 Paragraph
23 Native land
25 Expenses incurred in litigation
26 Stag
27 Muddle
28 Fortification
29 Department of farming
30 Uncover
31 Bland
33 Sea duck
35 Laminated rock
38 Birds
40 Tenderness
43 Fish
45 Alaskan town
48 Invertebrate animal
50 Part of a whole
53 Hinder
53 Young oyster
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56 Become weary
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58 Character of Jules Verne
59 Gait
62 Wreath

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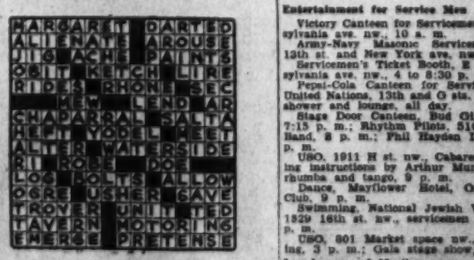

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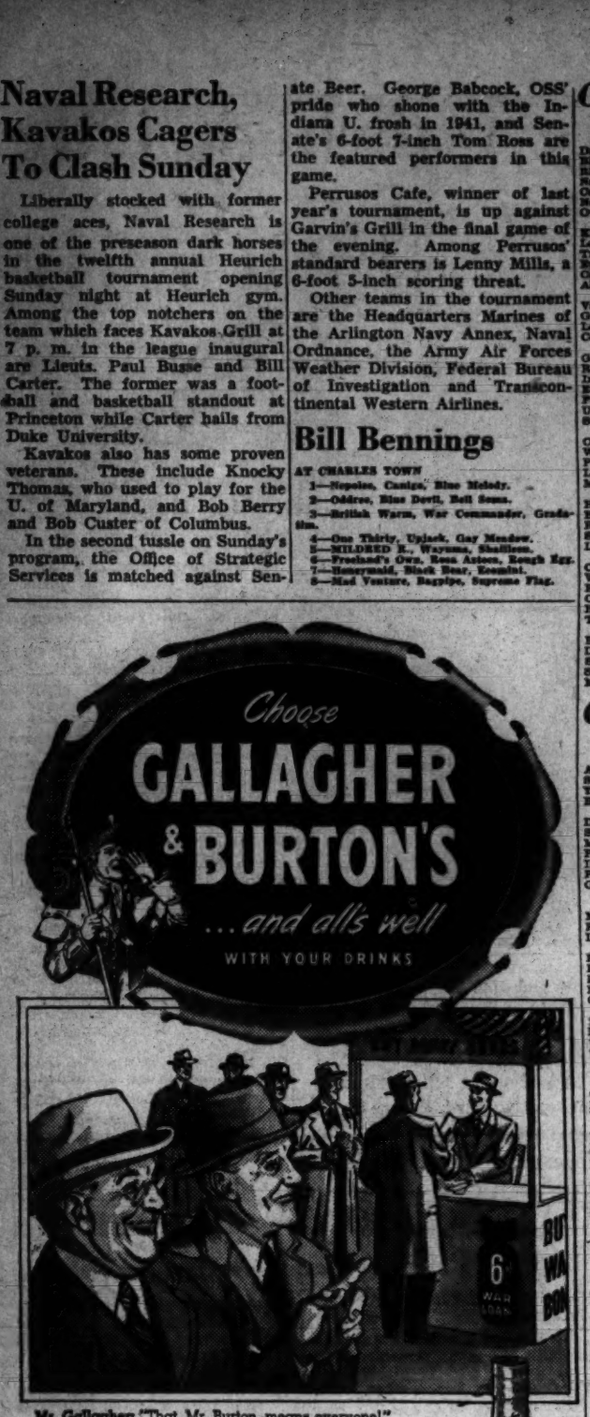

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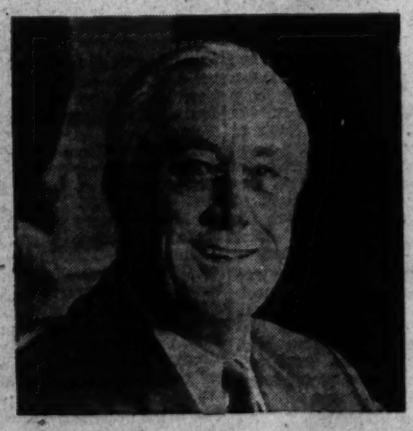

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Foe Falls Back Before British Threat in Italy

Rome, Dec. 1 (AP).—The Germans appeared to be pulling back today from the mountains toward Highway 9 between Bologna and Faenza against the threat of a British Eighth Army breakthrough from the east.

Allied headquarters said British troops of the Fifth Army entered Fontanelice, 9½ miles southwest of Imola—which is on Highway 29 between Bologna and Faenza—and found it had been evacuated.

To protect the withdrawal, the Germans laid down an extremely heavy artillery barrage on Americans dug in along an arc 9 miles south of Bologna and engaged Eighth Army units northeast of Faenza in fierce fighting.

Patrols probing the approaches to Faenza found Germans still dug in on high ground behind Lamone River.

The aerial offensive against Brenner Pass line has resulted in as many as 35 simultaneous cuts, forcing the German Todt organization to build fills and by-passes to keep supplies moving to the front.

It is believed no train had been able to run through the Pass to Verona since the destructive campaign began a month ago.

D. C. Boys Club Football Standings

	W.	L.	T.
105-POUND CLASS			
Alexandria B. C.	6	0	0
St. Joseph's	4	3	0
Georgetown Branch	3	3	1
Eastern Branch	0	3	2
Merrick B. C.	0	5	1
120-POUND CLASS			
Eastern Branch	4	0	1
Georgetown Branch	4	1	1
Merrick B. C.	1	4	0
Friendship	0	4	1
140-POUND CLASS			
Eastern Branch	2	0	2
Georgetown Branch	2	0	2
Alexandria B. C.	0	4	0

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

105-POUND CLASS—Georgetown Branch vs. St. Joseph's, Monument, 1 p. m.; Merrick B. C. vs. Eastern Branch, Fairlawn, 11 a. m.

120-POUND CLASS—Friendship vs. Eastern Branch, Fairlawn, 2 p. m.

140-POUND CLASS—Georgetown Branch vs. Eastern Branch, Monument, 3 p. m. (championship).

Chiang Offer Reported Made To China Reds

Chungking, Dec. 1 (AP).—Chou En-lai, Chinese Communist leader who left Chungking for Yenan tonight, was reported to be carrying new secret proposals by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for settlement of the Communist question.

Chou arrived here three weeks ago for discussions, and hopes were held in Chungking that an agreement might enable China to throw her full weight into the struggle against Japan.

A compromise of the Communist question would release a substantial number of troops for operations against the invaders.

In the past Chungking has demanded incorporation of the Communist forces into the national army and, among other things, that the Communists cease collecting taxes and issuing their own currency.

The Communists' demands have included legalization of the Communist Party, lifting of the blockade against Yenan, a constitutional government and a share in American lend-lease aid.

Both sides deny there has been American "pressure" for a settlement, but Americans are known to have indicated that American policy is to help China help herself and that one of the best ways she could do so would be to settle the Communist problem and get on with the war against Japan.

Out-of-State Race Fans Face Ire of Florida OPA

Miami, Fla., Dec. 1 (AP).—OPA investigators will "crack down" on racing fans who drive out-of-State cars or cabs from other counties to Gulfstream Park, said John F. McCarthy, chief of the enforcement division for south Florida.

"Motorists who are here on illegal gasoline might as well understand that they will be grounded and will be unable to drive home," he emphasized.

In and About the Showshops

With NELSON B. BELL

THE WASHINGTON WORKSHOP, in view of the distractions of the holidays, has wisely decided to present only three revivals of old films during December.

This abbreviated month will get under way tomorrow night in the auditorium in the South Agricultural Building at 8 by the clock, when the major attraction will be "The Big Parade," starring the late John Gilbert, Renee Adoree and Karl Dane.

HELEN HAYES

It may have escaped many memories, but the fact remains that "The Big Parade" has been barging along in the "best of all time" lists of film releases since 1925. It boasts the unique distinction of having made the "The Best Pictures of the Year" listings for three consecutive years—1925, 1926 and 1927. It is one of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's prize exhibits in its cavalcade of 20 years in the industry. M-G-M, again if your memory has faltered, got under way as a going concern—and how it has gone since!—in 1924.

Then on Sunday night, December 10, the Workshop will present one of Jean Gabin's lesser known—in this country, at least—of French films, "They Were Five."

For the practically mid-month Sunday night bill on December 17 the feature will be H. G. Wells' "The Man Who Could Work Miracles."

In view of Santa Claus' curtailment of the number of December revivals, the Workshop is offering its current calendar at a flat subscription rate of one dollar, including tax.

That, in the eyes of an innocent bystander, is an almost unparalleled amusement bargain. For further information, don't call me up; call Cappel's Concert Bureau or Whyte's Bookshop.

I have no recollection of the thing's having been bruited about here before, but what the Warner Brothers local executives have scheduled for the Earle and Ambassador theaters, following the prevalent depradations of "The Doughgirls," is "The Very Thought of You." Ordinarily we would not give this priceless bit of confidence any too conspicuous display, but—It has just come to my attention that "The Very Thought of You," costarring Dennis Morgan and Eleanor Parker, with Dane Clark, Faye Emerson, Beulah Bondi, Henry Travers, William Prince and Andrea King in support, yesterday launched itself on its third week as chief box-office magnet at the Strand Theater in New York. Begins to look as if the fillum night have something. At any rate, it has a cast.

The matter of audience interest and possible commercial value seems to have been pretty thoroughly resolved by the current engagement of "Lute Song" in the campus theater at Catholic University. The Alan Schneider adaptation of the Will Irwin-Sidney Howard English dramatization of the Chinese classic that has come down the years since the fifteenth century, has uninterruptedly played to capacity audiences in the University Theater since its opening a fortnight ago. As a matter of fact, the demand for seats has been so great and so insistent that the engagement has been extended through tomorrow night to take care of the "overflow." That should be an exceedingly heartening sign to Mike Meyerberg, who holds the Broadway rights to the play; to Aline MacMahon, who viewed the first Monday night C. U. performance with great enthusiasm, and even to Helen Hayes, whom Mr. Meyerberg hopes to star in the durable "morality."

New Series Begins

The Dance Theater will be giving something new in Pierce Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3:30, with an admirable purpose in view.

The Dance Theater feels that not enough is being done for the entertainment of juvenile Washington and its elders. Tomorrow's program will be in the nature of a remedial effort.

It will be inaugurated with "Percussion Serenade" and then go on to "The Lost Slipper" and "The Pied Piper"—having nothing to do, this last, with the film in which Monty Woolley achieved one of his major successes, in association with Roddy MacDowall and Anne Baxter, if memory serves. Erika Thimey will dance the stellar role in "The Pied Piper."

Its music was composed by Zoe Williams, who will be coming down from New York to direct.

From Sidney Lust comes the announcement that, beginning Monday, his Hippodrome Theater will run daily matinees. A "double-feature" house, the Hip of late has been dedicating itself to notable revivals. The first bill to be dignified by the elongated showings will be comprised of Paul Muni and George Raft in "Scarface" and Cary Grant in "The Amazing Adventure." The house will open daily at 1:30 p. m., with the first performance scheduled for 2. There will be two changes of bill a week.

They confide now that they forgot to tell me about the postponement. That is how it comes about that that Washington Boy Scout Troop 39 auction of beloved possessions in terms of war bonds for the purpose of buying a transport plane for vital supply duty will not come off until Sunday, December 10, from 3 to 5 o'clock. And then it will be in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, instead of the Sylvan Theater. The business is being sponsored by the Little Theater. Anyhow, we had that much right in the first announcement.

Howda-Ya-Mean-Cold Note

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LOVELY BRIDE is Mrs. Louis Laval Williams 3d, bride of Private First Class Williams, son of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams, jr., Chevy Chase. Bride is the former Miss Harriet Whitney Smith, daughter of Mrs. Hicks Smith, New York

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

The 'Back-Home' Set

THE TEAROOM EPICURES—Who simply can't find a decent eating place in Washington . . . who have never found a tearoom here to compare with The Lavender Elf back home where they served that marvelous frozen fruit salad with celery seed dressing every Wednesday . . . who have never tasted here any pecan muffins such as the Emporium used to serve on its shopping special . . . who can't get cinnamon toast at the tea hour such as the Hyacinth Hatrack used to feature . . . who are positively embarrassed when their friends come to town because there are no interesting little places with atmosphere to which they can take them for dinner . . . who live in anticipation of getting back to the Orchid Room at Katzenblurbs for just one butterscotch cream puff—but who are making no effort whatever to get there.

THE SHOPPING HOUNDS—Who can't buy any clothes here because stores don't have the things they have back home . . . who haven't found the Narcissus brand of hosiery or the Twinkle Toe shoes here (at least not in the same quality offered by their home town stores) . . . who don't think the stores are as big or as "pretty" as the ones in Knobtown or Magnolia Grove . . . who have worn outfits they bought in those places and had people positively turn around and stare at them on the street—and some even inquire where they did their buying . . . who don't think the women here are at all smartly dressed, certainly nothing to compare with those back home—but then of course the women at home are noted all over the United States for being smart.

THE SOCIAL UMPIRES—Who've found things rather dull here and who haven't met anyone they'd care about running around with . . . who have decided there is no real society here in the sense there was back home—at least nothing like the crowd that used to go out to the Country Club every Saturday night . . . who deplore the way people take up with "just anybody," also the fact that you may find yourself at an important gathering with "nobodies" and even shady characters . . . who are shocked at the way some of the people "back home" who had no background whatever are cutting a big swath here . . . who are sure most of the bigwigs here simply wouldn't be noticed by the right crowd back home.

THE HOTEL CONNOISSEURS—Who are greatly disappointed in the hotels here because there's nothing as impressive as either the Taj Mahal or the Alhambra back home . . . who don't think any hotel here has anything to compare with the Rococo Room or the Babylonion foyer of the Alhambra . . . who haven't found a lounge where as many really smart people gather for cocktails as they did at the Taj Mahal . . . who think the hotel dining rooms don't serve nearly as good food as the station eating room at home . . . who think even the doormen's uniforms here aren't even as smart as those of the theater ushers in the old home town.

THE PARTY ADDICTS—Who never go to any parties where things are done as nicely as they are back home . . . who think everyone's entirely too casual about entertaining here and as a result, the place cards, the nut cups and the table arrangements are strictly on the amateur side . . . who never see anything like the repasts the Thursday Bridge Club used to serve . . . who haven't seen anything new in party foods or menus since they came here . . . who think the club luncheons aren't managed properly and that the hors d'oeuvres at most cocktail parties show no imagination on the part of hostesses . . . who think people here simply don't possess the knack of entertaining prettily, and are too lazy and careless to try to improve themselves.

THE CAPITAL CAVE DWELLERS—Who were here before Pearl Harbor and the invasion from the hinterlands . . . who remember how Washington was in the good old days of the 30's before the upstart New Yorkers took over Georgetown and the small towners turned F street into a county fair on Thursday nights . . . who imagine all the people who get in their way at shopping counters and in buses are "outlanders" who have no business here . . . who think most of the newcomers are entirely too brash and pushing and act as if they belonged here . . . who can scarcely wait for all these strangers to be bounced out, and the city fall back into its pleasant, peaceful status with everything exactly the way it was before the war.

Town Talk

By Carolyn Bell

THE YOUTHFUL, smiling Chinese Air Force Gen. Whang Ping-hung has all the answers. He's cooking with gas, no doubt about it. After two years in Washington you learn diplomacy the hard way.

General Whang, with a bit of mischief in his brown eyes, tells this one on himself:

When the news that General Stilwell had been recalled hit the front pages "I went out of town for three days—simply disappeared," he chuckled. That's one way of avoiding the issue.

These people who are always digging up frightening statistics on the man shortage in Washington should take a look at the Carlton dining room at the luncheon hour . . . **It is as masculine in atmosphere as the Mayflower Lounge is feminine.** Proving the overpoweringly male clientele, however, were Peggy Palmer and her guest, Mrs. Walter Curley, a lovely blond from Pittsburgh. A swooping black feather bird was perched precariously on the blond upswept coiffure of Mrs. Curley . . . Brian McMahon, with a bright pink carnation in his buttonhole, arrived to be congratulated on all sides for his victory in claiming the title of Senator from Connecticut. He was accompanied by his former boss, the one-time Attorney General Homer Cummings . . .

Lieut. Tyrone Power seen striding through the lobby immaculate in his Marine Corps greens . . . that beloved eccentric, former Congressman George Tinkham, being greeted on all sides in the dining room where he takes his lunch most every day. The gentleman from Massachusetts, who is famous for his beard and his big game hunting, lives just across the street . . . **Mrs. Carl Spaatz, wife of the Air Force general, in a group of ladies** . . . the only other feminine group included Mme. Zamoyska, who will be leaving shortly for New York when her husband goes to join the Polish troops, and Mme. Bilmanis, wife of the Latvian Minister.

Chic Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks believes in paying attention to Uncle Sam when he gives orders. She did a big chunk of Christmas shopping at Carole Stupell's the other day, sending about 18 gifts in all, back to California.

Here is one who mailed her Christmas presents before the deadline—which was yesterday I believe.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Some weeks ago when they learned they were to be transferred here the Andre Van Wagenbergs made a long-distance call to Washington, had an apartment offered them, took it,—and when they arrived here they found the key waiting at 2400 16th st. for them.

"And with a shivery hand we opened the door," says Mme. Van Wagenberg, "to find a wonderful place." Thus ends that little fairy tale come true.

Thursday afternoon they gathered in a few friends for a housewarming . . . the Connecticut avenue place has enormous rooms and a definite studio air . . . Ina, striking in black satin, moved about making introduction . . . Paratrooper Dimitri Wolkansky, home on furlough, was accompanied by his pretty wife . . . George Boncesco arrived without his frau, who had just that afternoon returned from New York . . . **Kirsti Comacho, who wears a plume with a definite air, said she had been exchanging German lessons for French** . . . Mrs. Emil Hurja, another beplumed lady, chatted with Mrs. Bilmanis and Edward Van Devanter.

Mary Haworth's Mail

appears every day except Saturday in the Women's Pages. Read it tomorrow in Section IV.

Miami Beach

MARRIED IN MIAMI were Sergt. and Mrs. Julian Ellisor, jr., the latter formerly Miss Nancy E. Nettleship, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic M. Nettleship of Chevy Chase, Md. The bride is a secretary in the Special Information Office at the Miami Beach Service Base. Sergeant Ellisor, son of Julian Ellisor of Andalusia, Ala., is a physical training instructor with base troops

Parent-Teacher 2-Day Institute Set at G. W.

Eighth annual George Washington University Parent-Teacher Institute will be held Tuesday and Wednesday from 10:30 a. m. to 1 p. m. in Room 102, Hall of Government, at the university, 21st and G sts. nw. Dr. James Harold Fox, dean of the school of education, in collaboration with Mrs. Frank Borden, vice president, D. C. Congress of Parents and Teachers, has arranged the program, with the theme, "Education for Peace."

Tuesday, Dr. William G. Carr, executive secretary of the National Education Association, will discuss "Planning for the Education of all American Youth," and Mrs. William J. Miller, chairman, family advisory committee, AWVS, will speak on "When the Wounded Serviceman Comes Home—Rehabilitation and Family Responsibility."

At the formal opening, Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president, George Washington University, and Dr. Robert L. Haycock, superintendent of the public schools of the District, will speak briefly, as will Dean William Carl Reudiger, professor emeritus of the university, who was one of the original sponsors of these annual institutes.

Wednesday, Mrs. Jane Frost Hilder, director of remedial reading in the District of Columbia public schools, will speak on "What the Schools Are Doing in the Field of Remedial Reading."

A panel discussion on "Modern Methods of Discipline" will end the two days' programs, with Dean Fox as moderator. Others taking part will be the Rev. Clarence W. Cranford, Mrs. Walter F. Wolf and Dr. Walter F. Hager, president of Wilson Teachers College.

Mrs. Mackall Fetzer, president of the congress, will preside Tuesday, with Mrs. Borden in charge Wednesday.

Miss Baker Teaches Servicemen,

Art Called Good Morale Builder

Some May Turn Professional

By Genevieve Reynolds

"When it come to lifting a convalescent serviceman's morale, you can't beat a paint brush and canvas," beamed cheerful Sarah Baker, artist, who teaches her craft to wounded men at Forest Glen.

"At first the men are reluctant," she explained. "Many never have done anything with art. Soon, however, they lose themselves in the excitement of trying and learning."

"Not only is art a good morale builder but it develops such interest and latent talents that many boys will go on to become professional."

Brown-haired, brown-eyed Miss Baker teaches one day each week. Two days weekly she serves as captain of a group of volunteer artists who also donate their time and talents teaching convalescents at Forest Glen.

Many of those working with her are members of the Artists Guild of Washington, a group of professional artists who banded together to do war work. However, all work directly under the Arts and Skills Division, D. C. Chapter, American Red Cross.

In the Red Cross Arts and Skills division are many prominent men and women who regularly teach servicemen at Forest Glen. Mrs. Dean Acheson is one of the most faithful and hard working. All during the long, hot summer she continued teaching art there. Miss Anne Wolfe, sculptor, donates her talents, too.

Prentiss Taylor, president of Artist Guild of Washington, teaches art at St. Elizabeths. Mrs. Mary Tarleton Knollenberg is another who teaches sculpture. Forbes Watson takes care of servicemen's war exhibits.

MISS SARAH BAKER
. . . Nothing like a paint brush

But back to Sarah Baker. With advent of the war she had all sorts of notions about volunteer war work. Her great love of France and its people sent her into a French War Relief Center.

She was going to offer her services to type or gather clothes. Instead, she was asked to make posters. Later to design a pin for the American Theater Wing, Stage Door Canteen. Much to her surprise her design was accepted. One dollar went to the manufacturer and one dollar to French Relief.

Miss Baker gets quite a thrill when she sees the pin in thousands of lapels throughout the country.

Circus First Love

While studying art in Philadelphia, she won a scholarship to study in Paris. There she perused the pros and cons of modern art under tutelage of Andre Lnote.

Then she returned to Washington, but found the struggle to make ends meet too difficult during depression years. Off she went to teach at St. Timothy's School in Baltimore. Last year she again came to Washington to live. Many of her portraits are to be found in the Phillips collection here.

The circus interests Sarah Baker most. For years she has followed it from city to city, putting its bright color and action on canvas. She confesses that her circus enthusiasm probably stems from a childhood yearn to be a circus acrobat or bareback rider.

Besides the two or three days a week at Forest Glen, she finds time to design Christmas cards for Greek War Relief.

LEONARD LYONS

Times Square Tattle

New York, Dec. 1.—On the outskirts of Rennes, a town in Brittany, lives a 70-year-old man who, throughout the Nazi occupation assured the townsfolk: "One day President Roosevelt will come here to liberate me." Every day for four years, so strong was his faith, he would look up and down the road for the President to appear. . . . When the Americans took Rennes, the old man felt that he still was not liberated, for the President hadn't come. He still looked up and down the road. Paul Gallico went to Rennes and heard the story from the Army captain operating the hotel there. They went to see the old man. "I am a personal representative of President Roosevelt," Gallico told the old man. "He wanted to come, but he's too busy with the war. So he sent me. And this officer with me is General Eisenhower's representative." . . . "Thank you, sir," said the old man, "I knew it, I knew it. Now I am liberated."

HARRY TRUMAN

Vice President-elect Harry Truman may be taking a trip shortly. . . . Cordell Hull urged the President, when Mr. Roosevelt came to see him at the hospital, to name Undersecretary Stettinius as his successor. . . . Mayor LaGuardia, who asked the WNYC listeners to send him $107 to pay for the cost of his broadcast from Chicago, received more than four times that sum in the first mail. . . . Senator Claude Pepper of Florida will leave soon for Bogota, where he is scheduled to make an important speech.

Lawrence Langner and Theresa Helburn, of the Theater Guild, gave a party in celebration of the opening of the Guild's new quarters—an entire building in the West Fifties. "This house," Langner told the visitors, "used to be a gambling house." . . . then he pointed to the pile of manuscripts sent to the Guild for possible production, and said: "Yes, it used to be a gambling house—and still is."

Senator Jim Mead, as head of the Senate's War Investigating Committee, visited Fort Robinson, Ark., and went through the infantry training obstacle course successfully. Major General Smith, who was relieved at Saipan, went through the obstacle course with him. . . . Lieut. Col. David Niven, in telling American visitors about the change in Britain since '39, exhibits a 5-year-old front page of the London Daily Mail which has a headline: "Heavy Fog Over Channel. Continent Isolated". . . . Charles Michelson, the veteran publicity man of the Democratic National Convention, has made no plans for the future. The last offer he had was to be public relations director for a steel corporation. Michelson turned it down, explaining "Men can be made popular, but not corporations."

Maj. Gen. Troy S. Middleton, who captured Brest after a long, tough fight, received word, on the first day of the battle, from General Ramcke, the Nazi commander who defended the city. Ramcke's messengers brought to General Middleton the suggestion that the radio communications between them be kept open, for the disposition of prisoners and wounded. . . . "Tell General Ramcke," was General Middleton's reply, "that I do not believe it necessary for our radio communications to be kept open, because I expect to see him in person very shortly."

Andre Maurois, sheduled to address the last meeting of Poets, Essayists and Novelists Club, withdrew and then submitted his resignation to P. E. N. . . . David Smart, of Esquire, and Arnold Gingrich, his editor, are studying contracts . . . Robert Sherrod, Time's correspondent in the Pacific, left last week for the battle zone. Because Sherrod would be away on Thanksgiving Day, his wife decided to have their Thanksgiving dinner a few days earlier. Sherrod was left to mind the turkey in the oven. The correspondent, who survived the Tarawa, Saipan and other Pacific battles unscathed, sustained severe arm-burns when he opened the oven.

HEDDA HOPPER

'Anna Christie' Again!

Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 1.—Metro aims to borrow Lauren Bacall from Warners for a remake of "Anna Christie" with Spencer Tracy, and might I suggest Florence Bates in the part Marie Dressler was so outstanding in . . . Esther Williams is going on a tour of 15 hospitals, only three of which have pools. I asked what she was going to do. She'll swim when she can and sing when she can't. It's a case of from swimming to singing in one generation . . . The timing of "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" with B-29s bombing Tokyo is almost as good as Warners' timing of "Casablanca" remember? . . . Monte Blue goes back to Westerns again in "San Antonio." When I first met Monte he was doubling for De Wolfe Hopper in a silent version of "Don Quixote." Was that a stinker! . . . What's this! Is it true that newlywed Virginia Sinclair and Prince David M'Dvani are already stated for a quick divorce? . . . Vicki Baum may cover Europe for Colliers. She's the logical one to do it . . . The other day while we were gazing at a new picture of Elsa Maxwell, Glenn Wheaton, looking over my shoulder at her, said, "Wonderful woman! She's lived off the fat of the land and absorbed every bit of it." Crosby is now trying to sign up Glenn.

SPENCER TRACY

More's the Pity

Since Noel Coward got such a bad press (and rightly, too) for his remarks about Brooklyn boys, I might as well report what Daphne Du Maurier, author of "Rebecca," said to a group of friends in a London hotel. Some fellows, war weary, were having a little celebration and were seated a few tables away. Their merriment seemd to annoy the authoress, and she was hear dto remark, "Obviously, they're nothing but American soldiers." Then one of her guests, the wife of a well-known British star, turned on her and said, "Remarks like that have kept England and America far apart for too many years" . . . Huntz Hall, former Dead-Ender, and former wife Elsie Anderson have ended the "former" and are reconciled . . . Since Lionel Barrymore has joined ASCAP, he now claims membership in five different unions . . . Darryl Zanuck is paging Irene Dunne for a picture . . . Col. Ed Kirby is the guy who gave Dinah Shore her first radio job. He brought back from England a recording of "Stardust" which Dinah made over there with Maj. Glenn Miller's band. You'll be able to get the record now that the Petrillo ban has been lifted. Proceeds will go to Army-Navy Relief.

Candy

I'LL SEE YOU ON THE NIGHT OF THE DANCE CONTEST, JOE!
YEAH, NOW I'LL SNEAK DOWN THE ALLEY! I DON'T WANT ANY OF THE KIDS TO KNOW I'M TO BE ONE OF THE JUDGES!
JUDGE
WHY, MR. MOORE, HOW NICE TO SEE YOU! CAN I GIVE A HAND WITH YOUR BUNDLES?
HELLO, CANDY! THANKS, BUT I HAVEN'T FAR TO GO!
G'NIGHT!
I'D ALMOST SWEAR SHE'S TRYING TO BUTTER ME UP—BUT THAT'S OUT!
—HOW COULD SHE KNOW THAT I'M TO BE ONE OF THE JUDGES?
JUDGE

Newspaper Women Will Honor Mrs. Roosevelt, Vera Bloom

Reservations of associate and active members of American Newspaper Women's Club have been pouring in all week for the luncheon in the Chinese Room at the Mayflower Monday at 1 p. m. In honor of Mrs. Roosevelt, an honorary member, the event also will celebrate the publication of Vera Bloom's book, "There's No Place Like Washington." Miss Bloom is an associate member.

With guest list limited to one guest for each active and associate member, there has been some difficulty in deciding which "favorite" ladies will receive bids. Among other features, there will be a surprise seating arrangement and impromptu speeches.

Mrs. Stettinius a Member

Included among the associate members making reservations are: Mrs. Edward R. Stettinius, wife of the new Secretary of State; Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley, wife of the new Ambassador to China; Senora de Martins, wife of the Brazilian Ambassador, who will have as guests Mrs. Edward Everett Gann, president of the League of Republican Women.

Also Mrs. George Mesta, Mrs. Joseph E. Davies, who will attend with her daughter, Mrs. de Bekessy; Mrs. William N. Doak, wife of the late Secretary of Labor; Mrs. Benton McMillin, Civil Service Commissioner; Mrs. Charles Stanley White; Mrs. Florence Kerr, assistant administrator of the Federal Works Agency, who will have as her guest Representative Mary Norton of New Jersey; Miss Vera Bloom, who will bring the wife of her publisher, Mrs. Melville Minton.

Mrs. Black to Attend

Others there will be Mrs. Hugo Black, wife of the Supreme Court Justice, as guest of Miss Virginia Price; Mrs. David E. Finley, wife of the director of the National Gallery of Art, the guest of Miss Alice Eversham, president of the club; Mrs. Frank T. Hines, wife of the administrator of Veterans' Affairs, and Mrs. George Deitz.

Latin-American newspaperwomen who are active members will be present, including Senorita Minerva Bernadino, chairman of the Inter-American Commission of Women.

Dunn-Straw Marriage Told

Miss Mary Christina Straw, daughter of Clayton M. Straw, Chicago, Ill., and the late Mrs. Straw, recently became the bride of Lieut. John Francis Dunn, son of Mrs. Nora Dunn, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ceremony took place at St. Matthew's Cathedral, with the Rev. John S. Spence officiating. Nuptial mass followed. Escorted by her brother, Russell Don Straw, the bride's gown was of white satin, made along princess lines with sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip veil fell from a coronet of orange blossoms and her prayer book was covered with gardenias.

Mrs. Arthur L. Burt, matron of honor, wore white brocade satin with a Juliet cap of net trimmed with pearls and carried a bouquet of red roses. Lieut. Norman John Ferenz was best man.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Marian Dower, after which Lieutenant Dunn and his bride left for a short wedding trip.

Miss Hawke Plans Christmas Dances

Miss Minnie Hawke will issue invitations shortly for her Christmas dances to be held at the Sulgrave Club Wednesday evening, December 20.

The Junior Christmas dance will be held from 7:45 to 9:45 p. m. after which the subdebutantes and their beaux will take over the ballroom for their holiday dance. A card of admission will be necessary.

Many gay dinner parties are being arranged to precede the dances.

Ration Points

DECEMBER 2, 1944.

BEEFSTEAKS, roasts, canned milk, butter, margarine, cheese—Book 4 red stamps A-8 through Z-8 and A-5 through P-5 valid indefinitely. Next series of stamps will be validated December 3.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book 4 blue stamps A-8 through Z-8 and A-5 through W-5 valid indefinitely. Stamps X-5 through Z-5 and A-2 and B-2 will be valid December 1 and good indefinitely.

SUGAR—Book 4 stamps 30 through 34 good indefinitely for 5 pounds each. Stamp 40 good for 5 pounds for home canning through February 28, 1945.

SHOES—Book 3 airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely.

GASOLINE—A-13 coupons good everywhere for 4 gallons through December 21. B-4, C-4, B-5 and C-5 coupons good everywhere for 5 gallons.

FUEL OIL—Old period 4 and 5 coupons good throughout current heating season. New period 1 coupons also valid now and good through heating year.

Phi Delta Gammas To Meet Tomorrow

December meeting of Beta Chapter, Phi Delta Gamma will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at Columbia House, George Washington University. Floyd Sparks, teaching fellow in play production, will speak and a one-act play will be presented by the "Cue and Curtain" play production group at the workshop.

Hostesses will be Vera Mowry, Rhoda Coulson, Elizabeth Griffith, Marion Scott, Clarita Claussen and Corinna DiGiulian.

Employ 800 Women In Skilled Trades

About 800 women in 18 skilled trades are now employed as apprentices under procedures and methods developed by the apprentice-training service of the War Manpower Commission, officials have announced.

The trades include airline mechanics, cabinetmakers, carpenters, core makers, machinists, draftsmen, instrument makers, radio technicians and aircraft and radio electricians as well as dental mechanics, jewelers, printers, watchmakers, book binders, dressmakers, meat cutters and cosmeticians.

Mrs. Willard in Gotham

Mrs. William Bradley Willard is in New York for a short stay and is at the Biltmore.

Society to Honor Gov. Robert Kerr

Gov. Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma will be honor guest at a reception and dance of the Oklahoma State Society Saturday, December 9, at 8:30 p. m. in the Shoreham Hotel. Dancing begins at 10 and bridge will be played.

Members of the Oklahoma congressional delegation and their wives will be in the receiving line with the society president and Mrs. W. T. Crozier.

Today's Radio Programs

Saturday, December 2 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	Today's Prelude, 6:05, News, 6, 7, 8:30, Town Clock, 7:10-7:45 8-9, Willi, 7:45.	Bill Herson, 6:05, 7:15, 8:15, 8:35, News, 6, 7, and 8:30, Roundup, 8.	Dawn Pat. to 6:30, Brown, 6:35-9:30, News; 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30	Jerry Strong, 6-7, 7:45-8, News 6, 7, 7:30, 8.	Sunrise Serenade, 6:05-6:30, Church in Wildwood, 6:45-7, Hunnicutt, 7-9, News, 6, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30.	Corn Squeezing Time, 5:45, 6:45, News, 6:45, 7:30 & 8, Godfrey, 7-9:15, Mahoney, 7:40-50.
9 :00	Breakfast Club	Home Is What You Make It	Art Brown at the Organ	News; Music	Mike Hunnicutt	News, Arthur Godfrey
:15	" "	" "	" "	Music in the Air	" "	Home Service Daily
:30	" "	News; Banghart	Musical Bouquet	Traffic Court	News; Mike Hunnicutt	Army Airforces
:45	" "	U. S. A. Air Forces Ba.	" "	" "	Mike Hunnicutt	Little Band
10 :00	Fannie Hurst	Grant Rice Sports	News; Larry Meier	News; Music Hall	Is You Is?	Youth on Parade
:15	Presents	" " "	Mr. Moneybags	Music Hall	" " "	" "
:30	What's Cooking	Yours Truly Julio	Arlington on the Air	" "	Miss. Persons; Lane	Mary Lee Taylor
:45	" "	Alex Dreier	" "	" "	Alice Lane	" "
11 :00	Chatham Shoppar	First Piano Quartet	News; Billy Repaid	News; Symphony	" "	News; Lel's Pretend
:15	Bud Ward	" " "	Easy Rhythm	Vieuxtemps'	Rosebud Chorus	Lel's Pretend
:30	" "	Smilin' Ed McConnell	News; Hi-Lites	Concerto No. 4	Junior Amateurs	Fashions in Reflons
:45	" "	" " "	Scratches and Music	In D Minor	" "	" "
12 :00	News; Evans	News, Novelette	Hello Mom	News; First Call Home	Dixie Jamboree	
:15	Ear Teasers	Consumer Time	" "	Luncheon Music	" "	Armstrong Theater of Today
:30	Frm & Home Mak'rs	Stars; Pr. Georges Post	Luncheon Music	Weather; Music	News; Dixieland	Stars Over Hollywood
:45	" " "	Look to This Day	Red Cross Reporter	Once Upon a Time	Dixie Jamboree	" " "
1 :00	Na'l Children's Frolic	Rhythms for Saturday	News; Hodges	WINX News	All Sports Parade	Grand Central
:15	" " "	" " "	Scratches; Hodges	Musical Bouquets	Tony Wakeman	Station; News
:30	Little Show	U. S. Marine Corps	Luncheon With Lopez	" "	All Sports Parade	Syncopation Place
:45	News; Evans	Women's Reserve Band	" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	Army vs. Navy
2 :00	Metropolitan Opera	These Are Our Men	Russ Hodges	News; Club Caravan	All Sports Parade	" " "
:15	"Die Walkure"	" " "	" "	Club Caravan	Tony Wakeman	" " "
:30	Melchior	All American	" "	" "	All Sports Parade	" " "
:45	Traubel	Scoreboard	Notre Dame vs.	" "	Tony Wakeman	" " "
3 :00	Bampton	All-American	Great Lakes	WINX News	All Sports Parade	" " "
:15	" " "	Scoreboard	" " "	T for Two	Tony Wakeman	" " "
:30	" " "	" " "	" " "	All Sports Parade	All Sports Parade	" " "
:45	" " "	" " "	" " "	" "	Tony Wakeman	" " "
4 :00	" " "	All-American	" " "	News; Conc't Moderne	All Sports Parade	" " "
:15	" " "	Scoreboard	" " "	Concert Moderne	Tony Wakeman	" " "
:30	" " "	" " "	" " "	Jam for Supper	All Sports Parade	News; Music
:45	" " "	" " "	" " "	" "	Tony Wakeman	Shep Field's Orch.
5 :00	" " "	" " "	" " "	News; Music Hall	Band of the Day	Philadelphia Orch.
:15	" " "	Radio Reporter	" " "	Music Hall	All Sports Parade	" "
:30	" " "	John W. Vandercook	Sports Parade	" "	News; Tony Wakeman	" "
:45	" " "	Curt Massey	Louis Prima's Orch.	" "	All Sports Parade	" "
6 :00	News; First Call	News; Leif Eid	Sports Resume	WINX News	Charlie Barnet's Orch.	Mahoney, Costello
:15	Hits of the Week	Musicade	News; Music	Dinner Music	" " "	People's Platform
:30	Wilfred Fleisher	Purple Heart Program	Hawaii Calls	First Call Home	Richard Eaton	" "
:45	Miss Flowers, Inc.	News, Bennett	Modern Melodies	Dinner Music	All Sports Parade	World Today; News
7 :00	Wismer Sport Show	Twenty-five Years	Am. Eagle in Britain	WINX News	Crowley's Bible Quiz	Mayor of the Town
:15	Leland Stowe	Of Broadcasting	" " "	Pop Concert	" " "	" " "
:30	Sammy Kaye	Ellery Queen Mystery	Evening Serenade	Harmony Hall	Fullness of Time	America in the Air
:45	" "	" " "	Music and Lyrics	" "	" " "	" " "
8 :00	Early American	Gaslight Gayeties	News, Singiser	News; Music	Treasury Star Parade	Kenny Baker Show
:15	Dance Music	" " "	Music for Rem'brance	A. F. G. E.	For the Girls	" " "
:30	Boston Symphony	Truth or	Detroit Symphony	Dance Time	News; 1450 Club	F. B. I. In Peace
:45	Serge Koussevitzky	Consequences	" " "	" "	1450 Club	And War
9 :00	" "	National Barn Dance	Results, Inc.	News; Symphony	" "	Hit Parade
:15	" "	" " "	" "	Beethoven's	" "	" "
:30	Spot Light Bands	Can You Top This?	Mysterious Traveler	Symphony No. 8	News; 1450 Club	" "
:45	(Jack Teagarden)	" " "	" " "	In F Major	1450 Club	Saturday Serenade
10 :00	Guy Lombardo	Palmolive Party	Chicago Theater	News; Music	1450 Club	" " "
:15	" " "	" " "	" " "	Marching to Victory	" " "	" " "
:30	The Man Called X	Grand Ole' Op'y	" " "	Close Harmony	News; Great Scott	Correction Please
:45	" " "	" " "	" " "	" "	Great Scott	Carl A. Berendsen
11 :00	News; Evans	News; Music	News; Shady Valley	News; Dance Party	" "	News; Maj. Eliot
:15	Hour of Dreams	Religion in News	Shady Valley	Dance Party	" "	Arch McDonald's
:30	" " "	I Sustain The Wings	" " "	Weather; Dance	Great Scott	"Moondial"
:45	" " "	" " "	" " "	Party	" " "	For the Girls

TERRY

IT IS AS I SUSPECTED—THIS MILITARY CAP I FOND IN THE DARK PASSAGE BEARS THE NAME OF ITS OWNER...
I SHALL ATTEMPT TO FIND THE SOLDIER TO WHOM IT BELONGS... BUT SURELY I WILL NOT BE REGRUDGED THE WEARING OF SUCH A NOBLE COVERING FOR A BRIEF HOUR OR TWO...
MEANWHILE...
ALAS, FRIEND TERRY, THERE IS LITTLE TIME TO ASSIST THE AUTHORITIES IN FINDING WILLOW BELINDA!
I KNOW, HOTSHOT, BUT WE MIGHT STUMBLE ON A CLUE...
THAT ONLY HAPPENS IN STORIES!
HOW THE PEOPLE STARE AT MY MILITARY CAP...IT IS AS IF THIS WERE HAPPENING IN A STORY!

MARY WORTH

YOU'LL HAVE TO DINE IN LONELY STATE, MRS. WORTH!--I'M GOING OUT WITH RAOUL--!
DO YOU THINK THAT'S QUITE WISE, MONICA--? AFTER ALL--
I KNOW!--AFTER ALL, GIRLS WITH HUSBANDS OVERSEAS DON'T GO OUT WITH CHARMING BACHELORS!
YOU'RE RIGHT, TOO! BUT THIS IS THE LAST PAGE OF THE FINAL CHAPTER! I'M GOING TO TELL HIM ABOUT LINK TONIGHT--? AND CLOSE THE BOOK!
I'M GLAD TO HEAR THAT! YOU'LL BE MUCH HAPPIER! FRANKNESS WILL CURE THE WORST OF MISUNDERSTANDINGS, I'VE FOUND!
YEAH! AND A BROKEN NECK WILL CURE A HEADACHE!

MICKEY FINN

THERE'S NOTHING THAT UNCLE PHIL CAN DO, MA—THE MEDICAL BOARDS DECISION IS FINAL!
THAT'S WHAT I TOLD HIM, MICHAEL, BUT HE'S GONE DOWN TO SEE THE COMMANDANT, JUST THE SAME!
HE'LL ONLY MAKE A FOOL OF HIMSELF! HOW LONG IS HE GONE? MAYBE I CAN HEAD HIM OFF!
NO, MICHAEL! HE TOOK A CAB—HE'S PROBABLY AT THE NAVY YARD RIGHT NOW!
I DON'T THINK HE'LL EVEN GET IN TO SEE THE COMMANDANT! DO YOU, TOM?
HE MAY GET IN, FLOSSIE—BUT I'M AFRAID HE WON'T BE IN THERE LONG!

MYRTLE

YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TAKEN MR. SMALTZ'S WATCH WHEN WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE FINDING HIS STOLEN TEETH!
O.K., CHIEF!
I'LL RETURN HIS WATCH BY MAIL AND I WON'T TELL MYRTLE A THING ABOUT IT!
HELP! HELP! THE POSTMAN BROUGHT ME A BOMB!
LET ME HAVE THAT, MR. SMALTZ!
I SAW THE F.B.I. DO THIS IN THE MOVIES!
TELL ME WHEN IT STOPS TICKING.

DIXIE DUGAN

AHHM—QUITE A WAD FOR ONE DRESS
YES IT IS
UH—WHY DON'T I GORTA BE BOOKKEEPER? YOU'RE GONNA HAVE ENOUGH T'THINK ABOUT, DESIGNIN' DRESSES AND STUFF
THANKS FOR YOUR THOUGHTFULNESS, TIMOTHY—
—BUT AT THE PRESENT TIME I'M GOING TO USE IT TO HELP INCREASE MY BUSINESS
IS IT POSSIBLE TO BUY LUMBER NOW?
I GOT SOMB IN TH' BARN—WHY??

DON WINSLOW

SNOOP, I TRIED TO WORK OUR WAY OUT OF THIS BY FINESSE, BUT IT LOOKS LIKE I'VE BUNGLED IT!
MISTER WINSLOW, I CUSSED AND CUSSED YUH CUZ YUH FELL FUR THET PHEW-CAT IN SKIRTS!
WE'VE GOT A JOB ON OUR HANDS—THERE'S A LOT AT STAKE—NOW HERE'S WHAT WE'LL DO...
MEANWHILE
D-DON WINSLOW'S THE ONLY MAN I'VE REALLY LOVED AND NOW I'VE GOT TO KILL HIM!

CHIEF WAHOO and STEVE ROPER

As Steve and Wahoo approach the little Oregon town of Greenbriar, evil envious eyes are watching the man they are coming to interview—
HA! MONTHS OF PATIENT VIGIL ARE AT LAST REWARDED!
SO THAT IS WHERE GOODBODY HIDES HIS NOTES EVERY NIGHT--!
NEXT TIME I VISIT HIS LABORATORY, I SHALL NOT LEAVE EMPTY-HANDED!
BUT--WHAT IS THIS--?
"PROF GOODBODY TO BE SUBJECT OF MAGAZINE ARTICLE!"--PERHAPS THE TIME HAS COME FOR YOU TO STRIKE, DR. HUGO SCHWINN--AND STRIKE SWIFTLY!

WINNIE WINKLE

MOTHER, INSTEAD OF ARGUING WITH FATHER, WHY DON'T YOU LET HIM THINK HE'S THE BOSS AROUND HERE?
H'MPH!! WELL, I'LL TRY IT!
DON'T ACT CHILDISH, RIP! YOU'RE TH' REAL BOSS HERE! YOU'RE TH' ONE WHO REALLY RUNS THINGS IN THIS HOUSE!!!
I RUN THINGS?? WELL...
SURE! WHO RUNS TH' ERRANDS - TH' CARPET SWEEPER - TH' LAWN MOWER! TH' WASHIN' MACHINE - YOU DO... OF COURSE----!!!
OKAY! OKAY! I GET IT!! Y'DON'T NEED TO SAY NO MORE!!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

SO THIS IS PRUE'S OFFICE.. SAY! THOSE BLAST FURNACES ARE A PRETTY SIGHT AT NIGHT, DESIRE!
YES, KING... PRUE HAS REALLY BUILT UP THIS BUSINESS... IT'S A SHAME A TRUSTED EMPLOYEE HAS TRIED TO KILL HER!
JACKSON PROBABLY EMBEZZLED FUNDS... WAIT, I'LL GET THE RECORDS FROM HIS OFFICE!
NOW TO END FOREVER THE POSSIBILITY OF PINKY DILL REVEALING MY IDENTITY!
private

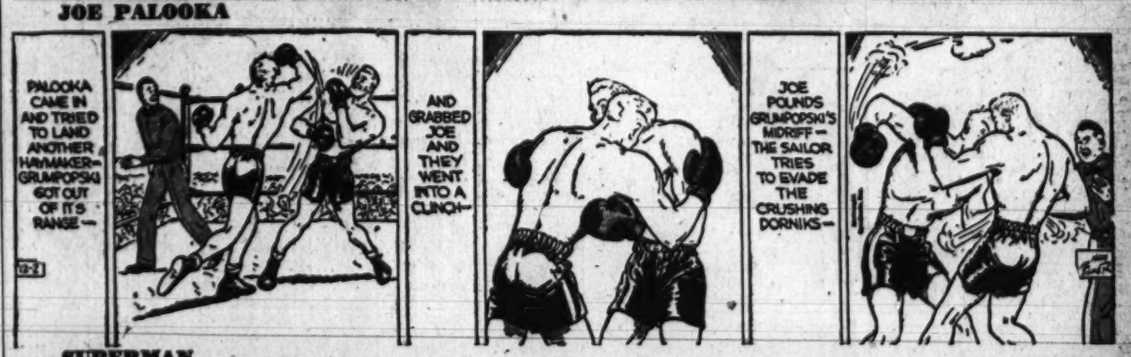
DONALD DUCK

PARDON ME, BUDDY, WOULD YOU MIND STEPPING OVER THERE?
AND LOSE MY PLACE IN LINE? NOTHING DOING!
YOU PLANNING ON SEEING THAT MOVIE?
DOGGONE RIGHT I AM!
THEN MOVE OVER THERE!
I'M NOT BUDGIN', BUDDY!

THE SEA HOUND

PUT US BACK ON THE SEA HOUND, KU KAI, THE SUB HAS SUBMERGED!
I'M SORRY!
YOUR ENEMY ESCAPED BECAUSE YOU TOOK THE TIME TO RESCUE ME!
IT'S ALL RIGHT! WE'VE GOT ONE OF THE NAZIS AS OUR PRISONER!
I KNOW IT!
DID HE KILL DOCTOR GILPIN?
HOW DID YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT?

JOE PALOOKA


PALOOKA CAME IN AND TRIED TO LAND ANOTHER HAYMAKER—GRUMPOPSKI GOT OUT OF ITS RANGE—
AND GRABBED JOE AND THEY WENT INTO A CLINCH—
JOE POUNDS GRUMPOPSKI'S MIDRIFF—THE SAILOR TRIES TO EVADE THE CRUSHING DORNIKS—

SUPERMAN

SO MUCH FOR MY BIG SCOOP!
DAILY PLANET
HERE COMES CLARK. AND JUDGING FROM HIS SMIRK, HE'S ALL SET TO RAZZ ME. OH, WELL, I GUESS I CAN TAKE IT.
WELL, BRIGHT GIRL—DIDN'T I TELL YOU SUPERMAN WOULDN'T MARRY LANE WAIL? BUT I WON'T RUB IT IN. YOU MUST FEEL BAD ENOUGH ABOUT YOUR BIG SCOOP BLOWING UP
ON THE CONTRARY—
—I FEEL WONDERFUL!
I GUESS I'LL NEVER UNDERSTAND WOMEN!

JANE ARDEN

WE DIRECTED TOO MANY CRIME PICTURES TO LET ANYTHING BE DISTURBED
WE FOUND HIM HERE, ON THE BEACH—JUST LIKE THIS—
HM!—A GUN AT HIS SIDE—AS IF HE'D DONE IT HIMSELF!
NO TRACKS IN THE SAND—
NOT EVEN HIS OWN!
IT RAINED DURING THE NIGHT—THEY MUST HAVE WASHED AWAY—
WHAT TIME DID IT RAIN?
OH, JUST AFTER MIDNIGHT, I BELIEVE—I WAS JUST TURNING IN!
SO HE WAS DEAD BY THEN!

NAPOLEON

Tin Collections Reported Lagging In Alexandria

Citing a lag in tin salvage in Alexandria, Bernard J. Padgett, executive assistant to Charles Henry Mason, general chairman of salvage for the city, said yesterday that four months in comparison to the usual two were required for collection of the latest freight car load of tin cans and discarded scrap.

The load estimated at between 15 and 16 tons in weight will be shipped from Alexandria tomorrow to a war plant. Padgett emphasized that cans from which the top and bottom have not been removed delay the salvage work and are not acceptable to the industry.

The demand for tin is just as critical as ever and may be more so with the current need for supplies while Americans are extending their supply lines by fighting on the enemy's home territory, Padgett pointed out. He added that there are 21 receiving stations including outdoor bins in Alexandria for tin andur ged that every scrap of the metal be turned in by householders.

Alexandria Bond Sales in 6th Loan Totall $278,659

Sales of war bonds in Alexandria since the opening of the Sixth War Loan November 20 totaled $278,659 in the quota of $2,158,000, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Hubert M. State, executive secretary of the campaign.

She said the figure issued by the Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond, clearing house for sales throughout the State, included $150,277.50 in E bonds to individuals.

Women in various civic organizations are serving at booths in the business section of the city, according to a schedule arranged by Mrs. A. Clarke Slaymaker, assisted by Mrs. Eugene Simpson. Mrs. T. Clifton Howard of 207 South Washington st. is chairman of women's activities under the Alexandria War Finance Committee.

Extra Dividend Voted

Chicago, Dec. 1 (AP).—Directors of the Beatrice Creamery Co. today declared an extra dividend of 65 cents per share on the common stock in addition to a quarterly dividend of 35 cents per share and a regular dividend of $1.06¼ on the 4¼ per cent preferred stock. All are payable January 1 to stockholders of record December 11.

WJEJ

Saturday

1240 Kilocycles

MORNING

7:00 Early Bird.
8:00 News; Early Bird.
8:45 Family Altar.
9:00 Organ Melodies.
9:30 Man With a Band.
10:00 Larry Meier.
10:15 Morning Devotions.
10:30 Marty and Rangerettes.
11:00 News Roundup.
11:15 Gloria Presents.
11:30 Saddle Pals.

AFTERNOON

12:00 News Parade.
12:15 Music in the Leiter Vein.
12:30 Accent on Song.
12:45 Red Cross.
1:00 The Jeans.
1:15 Sunday School.
1:30 Rev. Rittenhouse.
2:00 Charles Hodges.
2:15 Hal Aloma.
2:30 George Sterney.
3:00 To Be Announced.
3:30 George Olsen.
5:00 George Barry.
5:15 Adrian Rollini.
5:30 This Woman's Army.

EVENING

6:00 Prayer; Sports.
6:15 Saddle Pals.
6:30 Hawaii Calls.
7:00 American Eagle in Britain.
7:30 Confidentially Yours.
7:45 Music and Lyrics.
8:00 Frank Singiser.
8:15 Something for the Girls.
8:30 Bread of Life.
9:00 Results, Inc.
9:30 Mysterious Traveler.
10:00 Chicago Theater.
11:00 Band Stand.
11:30 Sports Parade.
11:45 Sign Off.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

Died

ADAMS, HERBERT SERGEANT, V. S. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at his home, Ashton, Md., Dr. HERBERT SERGEANT ADAMS, beloved husband of Sarah Thomas Moore Adams and father of Roderick, Herbert and Douglas Adams and Mrs. Helen Bradford and Mrs. Mary Bentley. Dr. Adams rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8436 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md. Services on Sunday, December 3, at 3 p. m. at St. John's Episcopal Church, Olney, Md. Interment Woodside Cemetery, Brinkton, Md.

ANDERSON, ALEX K. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at his residence, 5416 31st st. nw., ALEX K. ANDERSON, the beloved son of the late John J. Anderson and Mrs. Margaret Anderson of Washington, D. C., brother of Mrs. Roger W. Grapes and Robert W. Anderson of Washington, D. C. Services at the residence on Monday, December 4, at 2 p. m. The Rev. Glandale Burton will officiate. Interment Columbia Gardens Cemetery, Arlington, Va. Services by Chambers.

CHAMBERS, NETTIE R. CARRINGFORD. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at her residence, 1343 Clifton st. nw., NETTIE R. CARRINGFORD CHAMBERS, daughter of the late William M. and Ann Hart Chambers and beloved sister of Miss Effie Chambers. Remains resting at the Hysong funeral home, 1306 N st. nw., where services will be held on Sunday, December 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery, Frederick, Md. Frederick, Md., papers please copy.

COOKE, EARLE C. 3D. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at Children's Hospital, EARLE C. COOKE 3D, beloved son of Corpl. and Mrs. Earle C. Cooke, jr., grandson of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Harry McDougall and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

DONATION, BROTHER HILARY. On Tuesday, November 28, 1944, at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, Md., Brother HILARY DONATION. Mass in the chapel Annmedale Normal Institute, Annmandale, Md., on Saturday, December 2, at 9 a. m. Interment church cemetery. Services by Chambers.

DUGAN, DR. CHARLES LEO. Suddenly, on Tuesday, November 28, 1944, at Cincinnati, Ohio, DR. CHARLES LEO DUGAN, son of the late Patrick Leo and Nora Dugan, father of Pvt. Charles L. Dugan, jr., of Tucson, Ariz., and Flight Officer Thomas F. Dugan, Westover Field, Mass., and brother of Mary Dugan Mattare of Washington, D. C. Remains resting at the Birch funeral home, 3034 M st. nw. Mass will be offered at Holy Trinity Church, Georgetown, on Saturday, December 2, at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

FLETCHER, CLAY BAILEY. Suddenly, on Wednesday, November 29, 1944, at his residence, Clifton Station, Va., CLAY BAILEY FLETCHER, husband of Eula P. Fletcher and father of Mrs. Annie E. Sprouse and Mrs. Christine Fairfax. Services at the Baptist Church, Clifton Station, Va., on Sunday, December 3, at 2 p. m. Interment Fairfax Cemetery, Fairfax, Va.

HARMON, WILHELMINA E. R. On Wednesday, November 29, 1944, at her residence, 647 Keefer pl. nw., WILHELMINA E. R. HARMON, beloved sister of Oscar A. and William F. Raba, jr. Services from Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 2 at 1 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

HARRIS, WILLIAM C. On Wednesday, November 29, 1944, at Walter Reed Hospital, WILLIAM C. HARRIS, beloved husband of Mary H. Harris, father of Mrs. Jacob E. Miller. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Services at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., on Monday, December 4, at 11 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

LANCASTER, JOHN W. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at Prince Georges Hospital, JOHN W. LANCASTER, beloved husband of Ethel E. Lancaster, father of John W., jr., machinist mate, second class, U. S. N., Elbert E. and A. Cecelia Lancaster and brother of George E. Lancaster of Bowie, Md. Remains resting at Chambers Riverdale funeral home until Saturday, December 2, at 8:30 a. m. Mass at the Church of the Ascension, Bowie, Md., at 9:30 a. m. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

McGRANN, BLANCHE L. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at her residence, 1431 Clifton st. nw., BLANCHE L. McGRANN, widow of William H. McGrann and mother of Sara Blanche McGrann. Services at the above address on Saturday, December 2, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Paul's Catholic Church, 1345 and V sts. nw., where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

McKELVEY, MARY E. On Wednesday, November 29, 1944, at her residence, 1645 You st. se., MARY E. McKELVEY, beloved mother of Sylvester G. and Carl H. McKelvey and Mrs. Virginia Haskins. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 2, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

SIMMONS, WILLIAM H. On Wednesday, November 29, 1944, at his residence, 312 Avenue E, District Heights, Md., WILLIAM H. SIMMONS, beloved husband of Pearl M. Simmons and father of Evelyn Shirley and Lois Simmons. Services at Chambers Georgetown funeral home, 31st and M sts. nw., on Saturday, December 2, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

VOIGT, MARGARET E. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Philip Regan, 930 Madison st. nw., MARGARET E. VOIGT, beloved mother of Mrs. Phillip Regan, Mrs. Charles Cassell, Mrs. Charles F. Tucker, George J. and Otto D. Voigt, all of Washington, D. C. Remains resting at the above residence until Saturday, December 2, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at the Church of the Nativity, 6100 13th st. nw., at 10 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by Chambers.

WOODY, COL. GEORGE A. On Thursday, November 30, 1944, at Walter Reed General Hospital, COL. GEORGE A. WOODY, late commanding officer of Springfield Armory, Springfield, Mass., husband of Frances May Wood, and father of Robert H. and George D. Woody, in the armed service. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2001 14th st. nw., until 9 a. m. Saturday, December 2. Funeral services at Fort Myer Chapel on Saturday, December 2, at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

WCHV

Saturday

1450 Kilocycles

MORNING

7:00 Musical Clock.
7:25 News.
7:30 Musical Clock.
7:55 News.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:30 Voice of the Army.
8:45 Lucky Lady.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Fannie Hurst.
10:30 "What's Cookin'?"
11:00 Chatham Shopper.
11:15 Make Believe Ballroom.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Swing Shift Frolics.
12:30 News, Noontime Devotions.
12:45 Town Crier.
1:00 Voice of Youth.
1:15 Spice of Life.
1:30 Condon's Class Concert.
2:00 Football Game.
5:00 Five o'Clock Club.
5:45 Hello Sweetheart.

EVENING

6:00 News, Music.
6:15 Texas Rangers.
6:30 News, Program Highlights.
6:45 Community Service.
7:00 Correspondents Abroad.
7:15 Gene Autry.
7:30 Meet Your Navy.
8:00 Early American Dance Music.
8:30 Boston Symphony.
9:30 Spotlight Bands.
10:00 Guy Lombardo.
10:30 Man Called "X."
11:00 Some Like It Hot.
11:15 Something for the Girls.
11:30 Hoosier Hop.
12:00 Sign Off.

Charlottesville, Va.

WINC

Saturday

1400 Kilocycles.

MORNING

6:00 Uncle Joe.
7:30 Morning Show.
8:15 Morning Devotions.
8:30 News Review.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Ozark Ramblers.
11:00 On Stage.
11:30 Land of the Lost.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Music.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 News.
1:15 Quiz.
1:30 Swing Shift.
2:00 News.
2:30 Sez You.
3:00 21 Stars.
3:30 Organ Concert.
4:00 Horace Heidt.
5:00 Saturday Concert.
5:45 Hello Sweetheart.

EVENING

6:00 Concert Hall.
6:30 Old Corrall.
6:45 Leon Henderson.
7:00 News.
7:15 Leland Stowe.
8:00 American Music.
8:30 Boston Pops Orchestra.
9:30 Spotlight Band.
10:00 Guy Lombardo.
10:30 Sign Off.

WINCHESTER, VA.

WFVA

Saturday

1300 Kilocycles

MORNING

7:30 Music.
8:00 News.
8:15 Dr. Bob.
8:30 News Review.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Fannie Hurst.
10:30 What's Cookin'.
11:00 Lois Long.
11:15 Saturday Recess.
11:45 Hollywood Hits.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Luncheon Dancing.
12:30 News.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 Report From London.
1:15 Christy Brothers.
1:30 Concert Hall.
2:00 Football Game.
4:30 Horace Heidt.
5:00 Concert Orchestra.
5:30 Virginia Rambiers.
5:45 Hello, Sweetheart.
6:00 Happy Rovers.
6:15 Sign Off Melodies.

FREDERICKSBURG BROADCASTING CORPORATION, Fredericksburg, Va.

WSVA

Saturday

550 Kilocycles

MORNING

6:30 Rev. Maldeen.
6:45 News and Markets.
7:00 Red Belcher.
7:15 Morning Post.
7:30 News.
7:45 Plough Boys.
8:00 Curley Joe.
8:15 Smiles.
8:30 Lee Moore.
9:00 Kitchen Frolic.
9:30 Puffenbarger Children.
9:45 News.
10:00 Sunday School Lesson.
10:30 Buddy Starcher.
10:45 Woman's Page.
11:00 News.
11:15 Reed Organ.
11:30 Lee Moore.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Man on the Farm.
12:30 News.
12:45 Markets.
1:00 Lee Moore.
1:15 Camp Fire Roundup.
2:00 News.
2:15 Town Crier.
2:30 Football Forecast.
2:45 Notre Dame vs. Great Lakes.
5:15 Band Stand.
5:30 Hayden Family.
5:45 News and Sports.
6:00 Sign Off.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION, Harrisonburg, Va.

WFMD

Saturday

MORNING

6:00 Sign On; Uncle Joe.
6:45 Cordwood.
7:00 News; Sunrise Salute.
7:15 Cordwood.
7:30 Sunrise Salute.
8:00 News of the World.
8:15 Community News.
8:30 Westminster Studios.
9:30 Rev. Paul Freeman.
10:00 Hanover Calling.
11:00 Warren Sweeney.
11:05 Westminster Studios.
11:15 Fashions in Music.
11:30 Billie Burke Show.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Theater of Today.
12:30 Bedford News.
12:45 Millie and Mollie.
1:00 Grand Central Band.
1:30 Sr. Pearl Walters.
2:00 The Rev. Ralph Rudisill.
3:00 Studio Party.
3:30 The Rev. Dayhoff.
4:00 Music.
4:30 The Rev. George A. Harna.
5:00 Addlesberger Sisters.
5:30 Sun Valley Serenade.

EVENING

6:00 News, Quincy Howe.
6:15 People's Platform.
6:45 Sundown Melodies.
7:00 Mayor of the Town.
7:30 America in the Air.
8:00 Kenny Baker Program.
8:30 Jamboree.
9:00 Democratic National Committee.
9:45 Sport in the Nation.
10:15 WFMD Jamboree.
10:30 Gov. Dewey.
10:45 Talks.

MONOCACY BROADCASTING CO. Frederick, Md.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total sales yesterday, 924,880 shares; previous day, 984,800; week ago, 677,880; year ago, 557,870; two years ago, 530,033; January 1 to date, 232,739,248; year ago, 261,199,524; two years ago, 108,626,695.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 1.—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
30 ind.	147.25	147.65	146.76	147.30	—0.03
20 rails	42.79	42.96	42.67	42.87	—0.01
15 utils.	25.43	25.53	25.35	25.40	—0.05
65 stocks	53.46	53.57	53.23	53.42	—0.03

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 43,200; rails, 45,830; utilities, 39,900; 65 stocks, 128,930.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	4	61⅞	61¼	61⅝	— ⅜
A C F Brill	157	10¾	9½	10¼	+ ⅝
Adams Exp	2	12¼	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Addressog-Mult	1	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	— ⅛
Air Reduction	19	38¼	38¼	39¼	+ ⅞
Alaska Juneau	23	6¼		6	— ⅛
Allegheny Corp	14	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛
Allegheny pf	39	32¼	32	32¼	+ ⅛
Allen Lud Skl	21	28	28	28	— ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	2	161½	151	151	— ¼
Allied Mills	3	31½	31⅜	31½	— ⅛
Allied Strs	6	20½	20¼	20¼	— ¼
Allis-Ch Mfg	15	38	37½	38	+ 1
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	2	114	113½	113½	— ½
Amal Leather	6	4	3¾	4	
Amerada Pet	1	97¾	97¾	97¾	— ¼
Am Av Ch Del	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	— ¼
Am Airlines	9	79½	78⅝	78⅝	— ⅛
Am Bank Note	2	22	22	22	— ⅛
Am Bosch	4	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	4	44½	44½	44½	— ⅛
Am Cable&Rad	17	4½	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Am Can	6	90¼	90	90¼	+ ¼
Am Car & Fdy	27	38	37	37¾	— ¼
Am Car & F pf	3	95¼	94½	94½	— ¾
Am Ch & Chem	3	26¾	25⅞	26¼	+ ⅜
Am Crystal Sug	14	18½	18¼	18¼	— ¼
Am Distill	11	27⅞	27¼	27¼	— ⅜
Am Encaus Til	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Am Export Ly	2	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Am & For Pow	24	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	— ⅛
Am&F P $6 pf	1	93¼	93¼	93¼	— ¼
Am&F P $7 pf	6	98	97½	98	+ ⅛
Am & F P 2 pf	15	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅛
Am Hawaii	3	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅛
Am Hide & Lea	12	5¾	5½	5⅝	— ⅛
Am Ice	12	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Am Ice pf	1	76¾	76¾	76¾	— ⅛
Am Internat	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Am Invest Ill	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Am Loco	71	23¾	22¾	23¼	+ ⅝
Am Loco pf	2	108½	107¾	108½	+ ¾
Am M & Fdy	1	21	21	21	— ⅛
Am M & Met	4	12	12	12	
Am Metal	9	24½	23¾	23¾	— ¼
Am Pow & Lt	113	2½	2¼	2¼	— ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	44	56¼	55	56	+ ¼
Am P&L $5 pf	40	49¼	48¾	49¼	+ ⅜
Am Rad&St S	27	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝	+ ⅛
Am Roll Mill	20	14½	14	14¼	+ ⅛
Am Saf Razor	1	37½	37½	37½	— ½
Am Smelt & R	15	39¾	39¼	39¼	— ⅜
Am Snuff	1	44¾	44¾	44¾	— ¼
Am Stl Fdrs	10	25¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Am Stortrtes	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	
Am Sug Ref	27	50¾	48¾	49¾	— ⅛
Am Sumat Tob	1	29½	29½	29½	+ ½
Am T & Tel	22	165¾	165¼	165¼	— ⅜
Am Tobacco	4	65	65	65	— ⅛
Am Tob B	31	66¼	65¾	66	— ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	3	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛	— ⅛
Am Woolen	12	44¼	44	44¼	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	12	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Am Woolen pf	5	77	77	77	— ¼
Am Wool Pf	1	90½	90½	90½	+ ½
Am Zinc Lead	42	5¼	5	5¼	+ ⅛
Am Zinc pr pf	1	54	50¾	54	+ 3
Anaconda Cop	36	28	27¾	28	+ ⅛
Andes Cop	2	13	13	13	— ⅛
Armour Frod	3	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Armour & Co	28	6¼	6⅛	6⅛	— ⅛
Armour Pr pf	1	109	109	109	— ½
Artloom Corp	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Asso Dry Gds	6	17⅞	17½	17½	+ ⅛
Atch T & S F	21	70¼	70¼	70¼	— ⅛
Atch T&SS pf	1	101½	101½	101½	— ½
Atl Coast Li	12	41¼	41¼	41⅜	+ ⅛
Atl G&W Indies	1	33	33	33	— ⅛
Atl G&W In pf	1	33	33	33	+ ⅛
Atl Refining	6	29¼	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
Atlas Corp	6	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Aust Nicholas	2	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Auto Car Co	2	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Aviation Corp	22	4⅛	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Bald Loco ct	60	24	23½	24	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio	34	8½	8¼	8⅜	— ⅛
B & O pf	6	15⅞	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Barber Asph	7	24⅞	24½	24⅞	+ ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	1	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	— ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	8	18⅛	18	18	— ⅛
Barco Cigars	2	30	30	30	— ⅛
Beatrice Cream	4	32¾	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Beech Airc	9	13⅜	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
Bell Airc	23	13¼	12¾	13	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	27	49¼	47¾	49¼	+ 1
Benef Ind Ln	2	24½	24½	24½	— ⅛
Ben Ind L pr pf	1	54	54	54	
Best & Co	3	39	38¼	39	+ ⅛
Best Foods	4	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
Beth Steel	5	62½	61¾	62½	+ ⅛
Bigelow-Sanf	2	47½	47½	47½	— ⅛
Black & Deck	4	23½	23½	23½	— ⅛
Blaw-Knox	4	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
Bliss & Laugh	1	20	20	20	— ⅛
Boeing Airpl	15	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Bohn Al & Br	4	47½	46¾	46¾	— ⅝
Bond Stores	4	46½	46½	46½	— ⅛
Bond Strs pf	1	116½	116½	116½	— ⅛
Borden Co	7	34½	34	34	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	18	68¼	67⅞	68¼	+ ⅛
Boston & Me	1	9	9	9	— ⅛
Braniff Airw	13	19¾	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Bridgeport Br	10	10½	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
Briggs Mfg	1	38	38	38	— ⅛
Briggs & Strat	3	31¼	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Bklyn Un Gas	6	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Bruns-Balke	3	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	14	13¾	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Budd Mfg	1	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Budd Wheel	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Buffalo Forge	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Bullard Co	2	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	2	40¼	40¼	40¼	— ⅛
Burlington Mills	6	40	39½	39½	— ⅛
Burr Add Ma	7	14	14	14	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Butler Bros	57	13⅝	13½	13⅝	+ ⅛
Butler Bros pf	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	— ⅛
Butte Cop	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	1	22¼	21¾	22¼	+ ⅜
Calif Pack	8	26	25¾	26	+ ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	3	1		1	
Calumet & Hec	7	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Canning Ry	2	19¾	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	1	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	+ ⅛
Canad Pac	15	10	10	10	— ⅛
Carrier Corp	40	22¼	21¾	22¼	+ ⅛
Carriers & Gen	1	5	5	5	
Case (J I) Co	6	36¼	36¼	36¼	— ⅛
Caterpil Trac	3	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ⅛
Celanese Corp	12	36⅞	36⅜	36⅜	— ⅛
Celanese 1st pf	1	104	104	104	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	1	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	18	20½	19¾	20½	+ ⅝
Cent Foundry	14	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Cent RR N J	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
Cent Vio Sun	19	27¼	27¼	27¼	+ ⅛
Cerro de Pas	9	31½	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅝
Certain-td Pr	2	7¼	7	7	— ⅛
Chain Belt	7	29¼	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	35	49¾	49¾	49¾	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill	10	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill A	10	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Chi Gt W	50	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛
Chi Grt W pf	2	24	24	24	— ⅛
Chi Mail Order	1	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅛
Chi & N W	50	24½	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Chi N W pf	46	47½	47½	47½	+ ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool	7	47¾	47¼	47¼	— ⅛
Chi R I & P	6	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ⅛
Chi Rys pf	1	48¾	48¾	48¾	— ⅛
Chi Yell Cab	3	16	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Chickasha Cot	6	16¼	16	16¼	+ ⅛
Childs Co	6	16¼	16	16¼	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	12	89¼	88¾	89¼	— ⅛
City Ice&Fuel	1	20¾	20¾	20¾	+ ⅛
City Invest pfd	90	95½	95½	95½	
Clark Equip	1	46¼	46¼	46¼	+1
Clev Graph Br	1	41¼	41¼	41¼	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	10	35¼	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Cluett Peabody	2	36½	36½	36½	— ⅛
Colgate-Palm-P	2	29¾	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	9	18	17⅞	18	— ⅛
Colum Br cast A	6	32½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Colum Br cast B	1	32½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Colum G & El	19	4	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Col G&E 6% pf	4	94	93¾	94	— ⅛
Colum Pict	5	22	21	21	— ⅛
Colum Pict pf	1	48½	48½	48½	— ⅛
Coml Credit	10	39¾	39¾	39¾	— ⅛
Coml Invest Tr	119	44¼	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	10	16¼	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛
Comw with Edis	26	28¾	28¾	28¾	+ ⅛
Com Q South	5	2	2	2	
Com & South pf	3	93½	93	93	— ⅛
Conde Nast	3	25¼	25	25¼	— ⅛
Congoleum-Na	2	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅛
Consol Cigar	12	30	30	30	— ⅛
Cons Copperm in	8	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Cons Edison	29	24¼	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	1	107½	107½	107½	— ⅛
Consol Film Ind	6	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
Cons P Ind pf	1	29¾	28¾	28¾	— ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	13	31¼	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Cons RR Cuba pf	93	22¼	22¼	22¼	— ⅛
Cons Vultee	8	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ⅛
Consol'n Coal	8	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Container Corp	6	28	28	28	
Contl Bak	10	8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
Contl Bak pf	1	108	108	108	— ⅛
Contl Can	9	37¾	37¾	37¾	— ⅛
Contl Diam Fib	9	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Cont Ins	4	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ⅛
Cont Motors	8	7	7	7	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	14	28	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
Cont Steel	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ⅛
Cooper-Bess	4	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Copperweld Stl	3	11½	11½	11½	— ⅛
Corn Products	9	61	60¾	60¾	— ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	1	20½	20	20	— ⅛
Coty Inc	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Crane Co	13	27	26½	26½	— ⅛
Crosley Corp	4	28¼	27¾	28	+ ⅛
Crown Cork & S	1	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Crown Zeller	1	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	11	33¾	33	33¾	— ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	58	16¾	16	16¼	+ ⅛
Curtis Pub	1	9¼		9¼	
CurtisPub pr pf	7	65½	64¾	64¾	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr	95	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	6	18½	18	18	— ⅛
Cutler-Ham	1	23¼	23¼	23¼	+ ⅛
Davega Strs pf	3	23½	23½	23½	— ⅛
Decca Records	4	36	35¾	35¾	— ⅛
Deere & Co	10	40½	39¾	40	+ ⅛
Deere & Co pf	2	38¾	38¾	38¾	— ⅛
Del & Hudson	1	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Del L & West	16	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	37	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Diam Match	1	33½	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Diam Match pf	1	40¼	40	40	— ⅛
Diam T Mot	19	16¼	15¾	16	— ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	15	35½	34¾	35	+ ⅛
Dist Corp-d pf	1	104¼	104¼	104¼	— ⅛
Dixie Cup	2	16	16	16	— ⅛
Doehler Die C	9	66	65¼	66	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	40	23¼	23	23¼	+ ⅛
Douglas Airc	7	65¾	65¼	65¾	— ⅛
Dow Chem	126	119¼	119¼	119¼	—